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The three-pronged Chinese thrust at Vegas—in the Bunker Hill area north of Seoul—was made after Red gunners laid down 15 minutes of artillery and mortar fire.

Entrenched Marines threw up light flares, turned on searchlights and called for supporting artillery fire. Less than two hours after the Chinese jumped off, they had to fall back.

Red Gunfire Tapers Off

Late Sunday night after Marine artillery broke up massing Chinese, Communist artillery and mortar fire was poured on Vegas at a rate of one round every three seconds. It tapered off shortly before midnight.

Lt. Gen. Maxwell Taylor, U. S. Eighth Army commander, said his forces can expect more thrusts such as those around Bunker Hill and the earlier one which overran Old Baldy, 25 miles to the northeast in the Chorwon area. But he saw no indication of a general Red offensive.

Woman Ends Life As 'Human Torch'

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., March 29 (P)—

A woman who burned to death after her gasoline-soaked clothing was set aflame in a vacant lot apparently committed suicide, police said today.

Authorities at first said they suspected foul play after the body of the woman, Mrs. Mary Slobagion, 58, was found Saturday with an automobile speedometer cable wrapped around her body.

Police Capt. Walter Will said a piece of clothesline wire was looped around the trunk of a small tree nearby. He said the cable and the clothesline apparently had been tied together, but pulled apart as the woman struggled amid the flames.

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While a machine gun crew with supporting infantrymen, foreground, wait the word to move up on Vegas Hill on the Western Korean front, other U. S. Marines, background, dig foxholes. Another Marine who will never fight again lies covered with a blanket, near brush at left. He died on Vegas. A walkie-talkie man kneels at right while hospital corpsmen assemble a stretcher to carry up the hill. (AP Wirephoto by radio from Tokyo)

Solemn Britons File Past Bier Of Queen Mary

LONDON, March 29 (P)—Eight

stallwart guardsmen reverently carried the body of Queen Mary into Westminster Hall today for the last court the stately old Queen ever will hold.

At the end of a journey through crowded, silent London streets, the guardsmen tenderly lifted the coffin aloft and placed it on a catafalque for a public lying-in-state. Near each corner of the bier four giant candles, lighted at that moment, glittered in the somber gloom.

Queen Elizabeth II and the Duke of Windsor—a reigning grandchild and a favorite son who gave up the throne—watched with misty eyes. They stood motionless, with the gathering of the great and famous about them, as the voices of a choir echoed through the great oak rafters of the ancient hall: "In life, in death, oh Lord, abide with me."

Then Britons of all ranks and stations formed in a line outside the hall. Solemnly they passed into the building and moved like a slow river down each side of the catafalque. Each paused for a moment to bow or curtsy beside the coffin. Queen Mary's standard was draped on the bier.

There was only one wreath, fragrant with early English spring flowers. That wreath spoke of the family affections of royalty. "In loving memory, from her devoted Lilibet and Philip," was written on the card. Philip referred to the Duke of Edinburgh, husband of the sovereign, and Lilibet was the pet name of Elizabeth II when she was a little girl.

After the royal family departed, Prime Minister Churchill led the procession past the coffin. He had been associated in public life with Queen Mary through six reigns. Bowing with precision, Churchill moved on and mounted the steps at the far end of the hall. The 78-year-old Prime Minister paused to rest on every other step.

Directly behind him came Labor leader Clement Attlee, a former Prime Minister. Attlee delayed entering a hospital for an appendix operation to be able to pay his final respects.

Then the peers and peeresses, members of the House of Commons and their wives filed past.

Mayer In Ottawa

OTTAWA, March 29 (P)—French Premier Rene Mayer arrived in the Canadian capital from Washington today on a courtesy visit.

Gamble To Remain There - Thus Yank Names For Hills

SEOUL, Monday, March 30 (P)—

Some folks back in Nevada wanted to know how Reno, Vegas, Las Vegas and Carson (City) Hills on the Korean front came by their names.

Today from that bloody sector where hundreds have died and more are dying for some battle-scarred real estate, came the Marine explanation: "It's a gamble to stay out there."

British Accept Soviet Proposal For Air Parley

LONDON, March 29 (P)—Britain

accepted today a Russian proposal to sit down at the conference table in Berlin Tuesday to thrash out ways of preventing air incidents over Germany.

A government statement said this date was proposed by Gen. Vassily I. Chuikov, Soviet commander-in-chief in Germany, and accepted by Britain. Some here regarded the Soviet proposal as another move in the current Kremlin "peace offensive."

Sequel To Downing Of Bomber

The meeting is a sequel to the shooting down of an unarmed RAF Lincoln bomber by Soviet MIG15 fighters over the air corridor between West Germany and Berlin 17 days ago. The corridor to Berlin runs over Soviet territory, since West Berlin is an Allied island deep in the Russian zone. Seven British crewmen of the bomber perished in the shooting.

The Foreign Office said today the Tuesday meeting will involve only British and Russian representatives, but the British government will keep in close touch with the U. S. and French governments during the talks.

British Protest Rejected

A U. S. Thunderjet fighter was shot down by Czech Air Force MIG15s two days before the bomber incident, but the pilot bailed out and escaped unhurt. The U. S. now is moving in faster jet fighters.

A British protest called the shooting down of their bomber an "unwarranted and brutal act of aggression." Chuikov dismissed this accusation, but agreed that the incident was "disagreeable" and "deplorable" and proposed a meeting to take over the problems of air safety.

Ike Is Reported Drawing Up Plan To A-Bomb Reds

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President Eisenhower and the Joint Chiefs of Staff were authoritatively reported tonight to be drawing up a plan calling for the use of atomic weapons to end the Korean War.

A well-informed source stated that the President and top military leaders feel that an atomic attack upon the Chinese Communists may well bring the stalemated war to a successful conclusion.

May Be Only Alternative

How imminent an atomic attack might be is not known. However, it was understood the drastic step now under consideration will not be put into effect until it is definitely decided a negotiated peace is impossible.

The President is said to feel that if the current Communist peace feelers amount to nothing, then the only successful alternative for ending the costly war is to use atomic weapons.

In that event, it was stated, the plan now taking shape contemplates the use of both the atomic bomb and atomic artillery shells, as the military situation in Korea may require.

Reason For Red Moves?

In some government circles the belief was expressed that the Communists may have gotten wind of the President's plan to blast the Chinese Reds into atomic submission in order to end the steady drain on American lives.

They said that may be the reason for the peace feelers extended by the new Soviet premier, Georgi Malenkov, and for the Chinese Communists' sudden unconditional acceptance of a United Nations plan for the repatriation of sick and wounded war prisoners.

Reds Resume Maneuvers

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Many Patients Burn To Death In Their Beds

Heroic Nurse Among Victims As Flames Level Fla. Structure

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Many of the patients were so senile that, childlike, they refused to leave their warm beds. Their charred, unidentifiable bodies remained in the twisted frames of their beds for eight hours.

Of the 57 at the Littlefield Nursing Home, only 25 escaped. Ages of the patients ranged from 56 to 94.

All but three of the victims were women—mental cases, many too old for admission to the state hospital. Others were old age pensioners and other elderly persons who needed special attention.

All that was left of the 185-foot long white one-story frame structure was a mass of smoke-black metal — bedsteads, kitchenware, bedpans, wheelchairs. Flame-shriveled grapefruit hung from the branches of trees in the pretty little grove that surrounded the home.

Nurse Rescues One Patient

The home is located three miles outside Largo, a tourist and farming center about 15 miles north of St. Petersburg just off the Gulf of Mexico coast.

The home had been in operation for about 10 years. The main building housed women patients and a few men. That is where all the deaths occurred. Connected by a passageway was a small men's dormitory where 13 slept. All escaped. Also nearby was a small cottage housing other patients.

The heroic nurse was tall, black-haired Mrs. Gertrude Warnick, 55. She rescued one patient, ran in for another and was never seen alive after that.

Men futilely used small fire extinguishers on the raging flames. Nurses and officials of the home aroused sleeping inmates and tried valiantly to carry ill persons from the building.

Auto Crash Kills Man

Another man was killed in an automobile collision, while driving one of the patients to a hospital, Angus Smith, Pinellas County welfare director, was the victim in the crash.

The scene of the disaster was grim. Weeping relatives were going from cluster to cluster of persons asking if their loved ones had been saved. An occasional can of food in the ashes of the home exploded, startling the crowd.

Inside the roped off ashes ghastly remains of patients lay upon what were their beds. Dr. Jim Norton, assistant county medical officer, combed through the ruins trying to locate all bodies. An assistant placed a tag on each bit of remains.

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The Reds massed for another attack Sunday night but it was broken up before it could get under way by what the Marines call "box me in" artillery fire. The technique involves dropping shells between them and the Reds and also between them and their own support forces in the rear. The latter fire guards against Red infiltration.

The three-pronged Chinese thrust at Vegas—in the Bunker Hill area north of Seoul—was made after Red gunners laid down 15 minutes of artillery and mortar fire.

Entrenched Marines threw up light flares, turned on searchlights and called for supporting artillery fire. Less than two hours after the Chinese jumped off, they had to fall back.

Late Sunday night after Marine artillery broke up massing Chinese, Communist artillery and mortar fire was poured on Vegas at a rate of one round every three seconds. It tapered off shortly before midnight.

Lt. Gen. Maxwell Taylor, U. S. Eighth Army commander, said his forces can expect more thrusts such as those around Bunker Hill and the earlier one which overran Old Baldy, 25 miles to the northeast in the Choson area. But he saw no indication of a general Red offensive.

Woman Ends Life As 'Human Torch'

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., March 29 (P) — A woman who burned to death after her gasoline-soaked clothing was set afire in a vacant lot apparently committed suicide, police said today.

Authorities at first said they suspected foul play after the body of the woman, Mrs. Mary Slobogian, 58, was found Saturday with an automobile speedometer cable wrapped around her body.

Police Capt. Walter Will said a piece of clothesline wire was looped around the trunk of a small tree nearby. He said the cable and the clothesline apparently had been tied together, but pulled apart as the woman struggled amid the flames.

Her body was discovered 40 feet from the tree after firemen put out a grass fire in the brushy pocket of ground in a sparsely settled section at the southwest edge of Michigan City. Capt. Will said the grass fire apparently was started by the woman's flaming clothes.



This Is The Vegas Story In Korea

While a machine gun crew with supporting infantrymen, foreground, wait the word to move up on Vegas Hill on the Western Korean front, other U. S. Marines, background, dig foxholes. Another Marine who will never fight again lies covered with a blanket, near brush at left. He died on Vegas. A walkie-talkie man kneels at right while hospital corpsmen assemble a stretcher to carry up the hill. (AP Wirephoto by radio from Tokyo)

Solemn Britons File Past Bier Of Queen Mary

LONDON, March 29 (P) — Eight stalwart guardsmen reverently carried the body of Queen Mary into Westminster Hall today for the last court of the stately old Queen ever will hold.

At the end of a journey through crowded, silent London streets, the guardsmen tenderly lifted the coffin aloft and placed it on a catafalque for a public lying-in-state.

Near each corner of the bier four giant candles, lighted at that moment, glittered in the somber gloom.

Queen Elizabeth II and the Duke of Windsor—a reigning grandchild and a favorite son who gave up the throne—watched with misty eyes. They stood motionless, with the gathering of the great and famous about them, as the voices of a choir echoed through the great oak rafters of the ancient hall: "In life, in death, oh Lord, abide with me."

Then Britons of all ranks and stations formed in a line outside the hall. Solemnly they passed into the building and moved like a slow river down each side of the catafalque. Each paused for a moment to bow or curtsy beside the coffin. Queen Mary's standard was draped on the bier.

There was only one wreath, fragrant with early English spring flowers. That wreath spoke of the family affections of royalty. "In loving memory, from her devoted Lilibet and Philip," was written on the card. Philip referred to the Duke of Edinburgh, husband of the sovereign, and Lilibet was the pet name of Elizabeth II when she was a little girl.

After the royal family departed, Prime Minister Churchill led the procession past the coffin. He had been associated in public life with Queen Mary through six reigns. Bowing with precision, Churchill moved on and mounted the steps at the far end of the hall. The 78-year-old Prime Minister paused to rest on every other step.

Directly behind him came Labor leader Clement Attlee, a former Prime Minister. Attlee delayed entering a hospital for an appendix operation to be able to pay his final respects.

Then the peers and peeresses, members of the House of Commons and their wives filed past.

Mayer In Ottawa

OTTAWA, March 29 (P) — French Premier Rene Mayer arrived in the Canadian capital from Washington today on a courtesy visit.

Gamble To Remain There — Thus Yank Names For Hills

SEOUL, Monday, March 30 (P) — Some folks back in Nevada wanted to know how Reno, Vegas, Las Vegas and Carson (City) Hills on the Korean front came by their names.

Today from that bloody sector where hundreds have died and more are dying for some battle-scarred real estate, came the Marine explanation:

"It's a gamble to stay out there."

British Accept Soviet Proposal For Air Parley

LONDON, March 29 (P) — Britain accepted today a Russian proposal to sit down at the conference table in Berlin Tuesday to thrash out ways of preventing air incidents over Germany.

A government statement said this date was proposed by Gen. Vassily I. Chuikov, Soviet commander-in-chief in Germany, and accepted by Britain. Some here regarded the Soviet proposal as another move in the current Kremlin "peace offensive."

Sequel To Downing Of Bomber

The meeting is a sequel to the shooting down of an unarmed RAF Lincoln bomber by Soviet MIG15 fighters over the air corridor between West Germany and Berlin 17 days ago. The corridor to Berlin runs over Soviet territory, since West Berlin is an Allied island deep in the Russian zone. Seven British crewmen of the bomber perished in the shooting.

The Foreign Office said today the Tuesday meeting will involve only British and Russian representatives, but the British government will keep in close touch with the U. S. and French governments during the talks.

British Protest Rejected

A U. S. Thunderjet fighter was shot down by Czech Air Force MIG15s two days before the bomber incident, but the pilot bailed out and escaped unhurt. The U. S. now is moving in faster jet fighters.

A British protest called the shooting down of their bomber an "unwarranted and brutal act of aggression." Chuikov dismissed this accusation, but agreed that the incident was "disagreeable" and "deplorable" and proposed a meeting to take over the problems of air safety.

Ike Is Reported Drawing Up Plan To A-Bomb Reds

WASHINGTON, March 30 (INS) — President Eisenhower and the Joint Chiefs of Staff were authoritatively reported tonight to be drawing up a plan calling for the use of atomic weapons to end the Korean War.

A well-informed source stated that the President and top military leaders feel that an atomic attack upon the Chinese Communists may well bring the stalemated war to a successful conclusion.

May Be Only Alternative

How imminent an atomic attack might be is not known. However, it was understood the drastic step now under consideration will not be put into effect until it is definitely decided a negotiated peace is impossible.

The President is said to feel that if the current Communist peace feelers amount to nothing, then the only successful alternative for ending the costly war is to use atomic weapons.

In that event, it was stated, the plan now taking shape contemplates the use of both the atomic bomb and atomic artillery shells, as the military situation in Korea may require.

Reason For Red Moves?

In some government circles the belief was expressed that the Communists may have gotten wind of the President's plan to blast the Chinese Reds into atomic submission in order to end the steady drain on American lives.

They said that may be the reason for the peace feelers extended by the new Soviet premier, Georgi Malenkov, and for the Chinese Communists' sudden unconditional acceptance of a United Nations plan for the repatriation of sick and wounded war prisoners.

Reds Resume Maneuvers

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Complex Universal Theory Revised By Albert Einstein

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He thinks his change is an improvement, and that it makes his theory more convincing.

But he admits he does not yet know. He doesn't know how to prove it—how to show that it describes real things, whether inside atoms or in the starchy expanse of the universe.

For his new mathematical equations apparently can't be solved by present knowledge in mathematics, by Einstein or anybody else. That's a main problem in telling whether the theory really describes what goes on in the world and universe.

While it is easy just to say, "Einstein has done it again," his achievement commands attention. It was his theory of relativity, predicting that matter can be changed

Many Patients Burn To Death In Their Beds

Heroic Nurse Among Victims As Flames Level Fla. Structure

LARGO, Fla., March 29 (P) — Thirty-three persons — a heroic nurse and 32 elderly patients — perished today in a pre-dawn blaze that raged through a private nursing home.

Many of the patients were so senile that, childlike, they refused to leave their warm beds. Their charred, unidentifiable bodies remained in the twisted frames of their beds for eight hours.

Of the 57 at the Littlefield Nursing Home, only 25 escaped. Ages of the patients ranged from 56 to 94.

All but three of the victims were women—mental cases, many too old for admission to the state hospital. Others were old age pensioners and other elderly persons who needed special attention.

All that was left of the 185-foot long white one-story frame structure was a mass of smoke-black metal — bedsteads, kitchenware, bedpans, wheelchairs. Flame-shriveled grapefruit hung from the branches of trees in the pretty little grove that surrounded the home.

Nurse Rescues One Patient

The home is located three miles outside Largo, a tourist and farming center about 15 miles north of St. Petersburg just off the Gulf of Mexico coast.

The home had been in operation for about 10 years. The main building housed women patients and a few men. That is where all the deaths occurred. Connected by a passageway was a small men's dormitory where 13 slept. All escaped. Also nearby was a small cottage housing other patients.

The heroic nurse was tall, black-haired Mrs. Gertrude Warnick, 55. She rescued one patient, ran in for another and was never seen alive after that.

Men futilely used small fire extinguishers on the raging flames. Nurses and officials of the home aroused sleeping inmates and tried valiantly to carry ill persons from the building.

Auto Crash Kills Man

Another man was killed in an automobile collision, while driving one of the patients to a hospital. Angus Smith, Pinellas County welfare director, was the victim in the crash.

The scene of the disaster was grim. Weeping relatives were going from cluster to cluster of persons asking if their loved ones had been saved. An occasional can of food in the ashes of the home exploded, startling the crowd.

Inside the roped off ashes ghastly remains of patients lay upon what were their beds. Dr. Jim Norton, assistant county medical officer, combed through the ruins trying to locate all bodies. An assistant placed a tag on each bit of remains.

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Jews To Begin Passover At Sunset Tonight

Passover, one of the most dramatic Jewish Festivals of the year, will be observed by the Beth Jacob Congregation from March 31 to April 7. Rabbi J. Schimelman announced that the First and Second Seder will take place tonight and tomorrow night.

Services will be held in the congregation on these evenings at 6:45 and tomorrow and Wednesday morning at 9:30. Cantor Moe Sacks will conduct the services.

Passover celebrates the exodus of the children of Israel from Egypt and their deliverance from slavery. The name stems from the Biblical account of how God "passed over" the homes of the Jews when he smote the first-born sons of Egypt in the last of the ten plagues.

To commemorate the hurried flight of the Jews from Egypt, only unleavened bread (matzah) is eaten during the week.

Focal point is the Seder, ceremonial dinner held on the first two nights of the holiday.

The Sunday school of B'er Chayim Congregation will conduct its Seder at 10:30 a.m. today.

The Passover will be ushered in at 5 p.m. today by B'er Chayim

Congregation, with Rabbi Samuel Umen officiating. The community Seder will be held tomorrow at 6 p.m.

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James Brill Undergoes Another Amputation

For the second time in two years a former Cumberlander has undergone leg amputations in Washington, the latest one last week in Emergency Hospital, Washington. He is James A. Brill who resided on Independence street for nearly 30 years before moving to Washington about three years ago.

A master carpenter, Brill was well known here. He was a drill captain for the Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan (DOKF). Born in Hampshire County, W. Va., he came to Cumberland as a young man.

Two sons reside here — Arthur Brill and Alvin L. Brill. Mr. Brill, now 71, and Mrs. Brill reside with their daughter, Mrs. Eugene M. James, Washington.

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LONA CONING—An Easter Sunday sunrise service will be held in First Presbyterian Church, conducted by the young people of the various churches.

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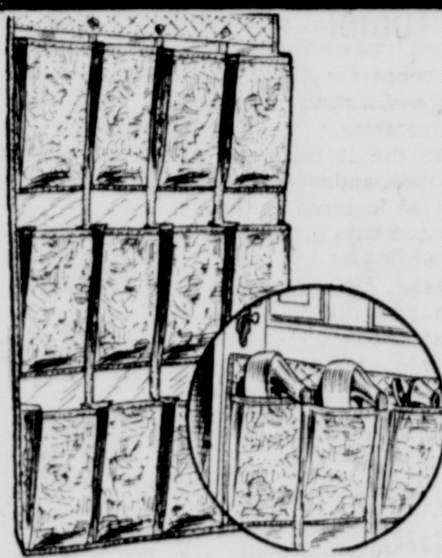
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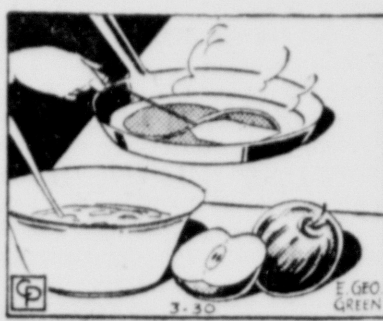
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Jews To Begin Passover At Sunset Tonight

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Services will be held in the congregation on these evenings at 6:45 and tomorrow a d Wednesday morning at 9:30. Cantor Moe Sacks will conduct the services.

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The Sunday school of B'er Chayim Congregation will conduct its Seder at 10:30 a.m. today.

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For the second time in two years a former Cumberlander has undergone leg amputations in Washington, the latest one last week in Emergency Hospital, Washington. He is James A. Brill who resided on Independence street for nearly 30 years before moving to Washington about three years ago.

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Seven Miles Of Wire

The 701 is made up of 11 cabinet units, 4,000 tubes, 13,600 diodes (whatever they are), seven miles of wire and, in full use, requires as much power as your wife would need to heat 88 electric irons.

IBM is going into line production on the new calculator and intends to rent them to government agencies and the larger defense plants. Rentals will range from \$11,900 to \$19,000 a month, depending on the number of units used. In government work, IBM says, the 701 will be used principally on restricted problems.

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The huge civilian shelter, biggest of a group of scores already completed or under construction around this traditionally neutral country, cuts through a mountain in the heart of Stockholm. It is designed to give 20,000 civilians complete protection against a direct hit by an atomic bomb.

It was shown to newsmen for the first time as Swedish defense officials lifted the screen of secrecy today from some phases of Operation Granite, which has been proceeding without interruption since World War II.

Reporters were told that a vital part of the Swedish Navy can now dock in atom bomb-proof harbors gouged from the shoreline of mountains along Sweden's Baltic coast.

The location of these harbors is a military secret. But it was reported they are "very numerous," can accommodate anything from submarines to destroyers and it is planned to make room for cruisers, too.

The Swedes also have blasted space for sheltered naval yards in the solid rock.

Reporters were admitted for the first time into one of the atom bomb-proof mountain hangars.

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Most of Sweden's jet fighter bases have mountain hangars. Plans are to put "virtually the whole Air Force" of more than 1,500 planes underground.

The Army, Navy and Air Force all have spacious underground headquarters. So have more than 50 civil defense headquarters.

Sweden began to move defense factories underground more than 10 years ago.

The Saab aircraft factory, which builds most of Sweden's jet planes, has a large two-story plant in a mountain. Sweden also has underground tank and munition factories, underground atom bomb-proof hospitals, power plants, laboratories and fire stations.

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Orchestra numbers will include melodies from "Der Rosenkavalier" (Strauss), "Finlandia" (Sibelius), "In the Woodland" (Busch) and "My Maryland" (Romberg).

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Sweden Erects Huge Granite Rock Shelter For Civilians

By GUSTAV SVENSSON
STOCKHOLM, Sweden, March 29 (AP) — Sweden is building the world's largest rock shelter for civilians here as part of her atomic age Operation Granite, which also provides for basing almost all the Swedish Air Force and Navy inside mountains.

The huge civilian shelter, biggest of a group of scores already completed or under construction around this traditionally neutral country, cuts through a mountain in the heart of Stockholm. It is designed to give 20,000 civilians complete protection against a direct hit by an atomic bomb.

It was shown to newsmen for the first time as Swedish defense officials lifted the screen of secrecy today from some phases of Operation Granite, which has been proceeding without interruption since World War II.

Reporters were told that a vital part of the Swedish Navy can now dock in atom bomb-proof harbors fagouged from the shoreline of mountains along Sweden's Baltic coast.

The location of these harbors is a military secret. But it was reported they are "very numerous," can accommodate anything from submarines to destroyers and it is

planned to make room for cruisers, too.

The Swedes also have blasted space for sheltered naval yards in the solid rock.

Reporters were admitted for the first time into one of the atom bomb - proof mountain hangars.

They saw a unit of eight Swedish-built jet planes take to the air from inside the mountain in two minutes.

Most of Sweden's jet fighter bases have mountain hangars. Plans are to put "virtually the whole Air Force" of more than 1,500 planes underground.

The Army, Navy and Air Force all have spacious underground headquarters. So have more than 50 civil defense headquarters.

Sweden began to move defense factories underground more than 10 years ago.

The Saab aircraft factory, which builds most of Sweden's jet planes, has a large two-story plant in a mountain. Sweden also has underground tank and munition factories, underground atom bomb-proof hospitals, power plants, laboratories and fire stations.

The underground construction boom was made possible partly by the Swedish development of new rock blasting methods.

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Each of these pieces of legislation must originate in the House and, in the first instance, in the Ways and Means Committee. A possible compromise to break the present impasse would be to allow income tax reductions to take effect on September 1, instead of July 1, and to limit action on social security to broadening its coverage, leaving more fundamental changes to the 1954 session of Congress.

The original Social Security Act, adopted in 1935, brought only 25 million workers into the old-age and survivors' insurance system. Frequent revisions, pointing to eventual coverage of the entire working population, have resulted in present coverage of four out of every five workers. But the social security system still falls short of meeting the economic needs of large numbers of elderly persons.

There are 13.4 million persons aged 65 or more in the population. Approximately 4 million are still working or are wives of elderly workers. Approximately 3.8 million receive social security benefits and another million draw benefits from other public retirement systems. The remainder, roughly 4 million, live off private assets or depend on private or public charity.

The high wages and high employment of the last dozen years have brought in more money from payroll taxes than was anticipated and this has prompted successive liberalizations of benefits by Congress. The favorable balance in the old-age trust fund now stands at more than \$17 billion. Some critics of present methods of financing see danger that, with the increase in beneficiary rolls and further liberalization of benefits, the trust fund will not be able to meet all its future obligations. Others fear that the trust fund may grow so large as to absorb the entire public debt through its investments in government securities and that no other outlet will then remain except investment in what are now private business enterprises. This, they say, would be a long step toward state socialism.

Critics of the present trust fund would have social security financed under a pay-as-you-go plan. They would keep only a small reserve for recession years when old-age benefits might exceed the amounts brought in by payroll taxes. And there is considerable support for a small flat monthly payment to all the aged in the population, whether or not they have contributed to the reserve fund in the past. This would allow the federal government to abolish the present system of aid to the states in caring for elderly persons not now covered by social security.

The U. S. Chamber of Commerce states that a poll of its 3,200 member organizations reveals 16-to-1 support for a pay-as-you-go plan of social security financing. It advocates universal coverage and flat payments of perhaps \$25 a month for all persons over 65. The AFL and CIO take strong exception to this plan. According to the CIO, pay-as-you-go financing would make it impossible to increase monetary benefits for retired workers and would discourage extension of non-monetary benefits such as medical care. The unions support extension of social security to all workers, an increase in the taxable base from the first \$3,600 to the first \$4,800 of wages, and boosts in payments under both the insurance plan and the relief system for the needy aged.

How To Kill A Walrus

Hunting the walrus used to be fun, no doubt, and heaving a harpoon into a vital spot of a pachydermatous ton-and-a-half monster insulated by thick layers of blubber while standing on a heaving deck may have been a sport requiring considerable skill.

In skill and sportsmanship it rated far above the sportsmanship of shooting into a bison herd from the window of a moving passenger train. But the net result is about the same. The walrus, like the bison, is nearly extinct.

Since Herbert died, not a zoo in the United States has a walrus on display. Herbert was the pride and joy of the Bronx Zoo in New York since he arrived from Denmark 17 months ago, a tiny babe weighing only 250 pounds. Everyone loved good-natured Herbert, apparently, and Herbert loved everybody. The child (if it was a child) who threw Herbert a rubber ball may have loved him too. But the ball was as effective as a well-aimed harpoon. It done him in.

He had been doing well, too. In 17 months he had gained more than 700 pounds and reached a size about one-third that of an adult walrus. But a rubber ball is a deadly weapon in a zoo. Bronx Zoo officials say they have lost sea lions, ostriches, condors, pheasants, a cassowary and other animals from intestinal obstructions caused by swallowing rubber balls.

What's left of sad-faced, sweet-tempered Herbert will probably go to a museum to be stuffed.

Controlling The Money

A document that should be widely read has been issued by the Committee for Economic Development. Prepared by the committee's research and policy committee, it is called "Flexible Monetary Policy: What It Is and How It Works." The title explains why it will not reach a large audience. The subject is rather technical for many laymen.

The report observes that the effectiveness of monetary controls in combating depression is a controversial subject but that there is wide agreement that they are useful in combating inflation. It then considers the devices the Federal Reserve System can use in contracting the money supply when inflationary trends threaten to get out of hand.

These devices, the study finds, are effective. But they can fail when the system is not allowed freedom to conduct its operations in order to achieve stability. If it must provide a market for government securities at low interest rates, it cannot carry out its primary responsibility. And while such a market holds down the cost of servicing the debt, the reports finds that this is an expensive saving at the price of inflation.

The Federal Reserve System recovered some measure of autonomy before the end of the Truman administration. But the struggle that had to be waged before that happened indicates that it should be endowed with greater independence.

How To Keep Well

By Dr. T. R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is enclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases.

To Stop Smoking: Stop

How can I stop smoking? This is a common question from those who want to break a bad habit or have medical reasons for wishing a divorce from Lady Nicotine. The answer is simple but the job is difficult to carry out.

It is necessary to begin by dispensing with all the excuses that go with not wanting to break the habit. These include: "Not enough will power," "It soothes my nerves," "It relieves boredom," and "I enjoy it too much." Meanwhile, a good motive for quitting is absolutely essential because the conflict that ensues is between the desire to stop and the craving for tobacco. The individual must figure out the advantages to be expected from the change. For some, this would be improvement in the blood pressure level, the heart, circulation, or stomach ulcer. Victims of Buerger's disease may forestall gangrene and leg amputation. Others are afraid of cancer of the lung. The reason given by some is smoker's throat, chronic bronchial cough, or enslavement to a habit. These factors bolster the conviction to quit but before the break is made a preparatory buildup is advisable.

For years I was a heavy smoker and had made many unsuccessful attempts to quit. Most of these ventures consisted of cutting down gradually but the fewer cigarettes I smoked the better they tasted. I decided to change my plan and, for the buildup, doubled the daily intake. The day of abstinence arrived. I was depressed and had a terrible taste in my mouth which burned like the inside of a furnace. I had just finished a bout of hacking and said, "This is it." I threw my pack of cigarettes against the wall with the determination never to smoke again. The more intense craving persisted for two days before beginning to wane and several months elapsed before it reached zero. But even today, at times of particular stress, the desire returns temporarily.

The ritual that follows the break is as important as the one preceding it. The will to abstain must be pursued relentlessly. To remain on the offensive, the individual must think continuously of the bad effects of smoking and the rewards that follow abstinence. There should be no compromise and it must be firmly realized that one single puff will make the individual a smoker again. Do not underestimate the latter because most people who fail do so because they think "just one little puff won't hurt a bit." I have no faith in the widely advertised crutches introduced from time to time: pills, pellets, liquids, gargles, or lozenges.

What has been said applies chiefly to those who find it difficult to break the habit. Many other ways have been advocated and those who do not believe in stopping abruptly might be interested in a method advocated in "The Truth About Smoking," by Roger William Riis. This is a modification of the tapering-off process except that the chronic smoker decides not to smoke before 9 a. m. After two or three weeks of success the limit is raised to 10 a. m., then 11, then 12, and 'round the clock. The rationale for this treatment is based on the fact that the smoker controls the habit part of the time at first and then all of the time.

TOMORROW: A puzzling eye defect in premature: retrolental fibroplasia.

OVERGROWTH OF TISSUE

K. A. writes: What is the treatment of keloids?

REPLY

These abnormal growths of tissue that sometimes follow wounds and burns may be removed surgically after X-ray exposure or by freezing with liquid nitrogen. More recently, Dr. Theodore Cornblet described successful results in 11 patients through the injection of the enzyme, hyaluronidase. This product is said to soften the glue-like mass that holds the cells together.

SORE KNEES

J. D. writes: I'm 40 years old and when I bend my knees they hurt. Is this the start of arthritis?

REPLY

It may be the beginning of osteoarthritis which represents the wear and tear of the aging process. But the same symptom can be caused by a disturbance in the ligaments, tendons, or fascia that surround the knee joint. Hence examination would be needed before your question could be answered.

HOME CARE

Mrs. Z. writes: Can a person with tuberculosis be cared for in the home?

REPLY

Yes, but it is more difficult and in addition exposes the other members of the family to the infection. It should never be attempted when there are children in the household because youngsters do not know the meaning of contagion. In many instances, treatment of tuberculosis calls for spending the first few weeks or months in a sanatorium, while the disease is in its most active stage. Here the patient receives the new anti-tuberculosis drugs and pneumothorax. Thereafter, convalescence is continued at home.

"But I Just Haven't Any Confidence"



DREW PEARSON on

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

GOP Justice Department Rules Against California GOP Congressman; Kickback Charges Were Revealed By Merry-Go-Round Column Last Year

WASHINGTON—The new Republican Justice Department has started out by not pulling any punches regarding the prosecution of Republicans, including Republican congressmen.

As a result, Congressman Earnest Bramblett, Republican of Pacific Grove, 11th District of California, faces grand jury action on charges made by this column last fall of taking kickbacks from his office staff.

The grand jury action is being ordered by another California Republican, Warren Olney, now assistant attorney general in charge of the Criminal Division, who as counsel for the California Crime Commission did more than any other one man to clean up crime in that state. Since coming to Washington, he has helped to crack down on one notorious figure in the California gambling world, Emilio George, whom the Democrats did not get out.

Olney also caused havoc in the Justice Department by asking the resignation of four Democrat lawyers in his Criminal Division who dragged their heels regarding Congressman Bramblett.

Ordinarily, Justice Department attorneys do not like to tangle with congressmen, let alone prosecute them. This writer supplied most of the evidence to the Justice Department in the case of ex-Congressman Parnell Thomas of New Jersey before it prosecuted, also part of the evidence regarding ex-Congressman Andrew May of Kentucky, and published the original kickback information regarding Congressman Walter Brehm of Ohio. All were convicted.

Discussion Of War

By ROGER W. BABSON

WASHINGTON, D. C.—For the past two years I have definitely stated that there would be no War III so long as Stalin lived. This is a fact for which much printed evidence exists. Now that Stalin is dead, I have my "fingers crossed."

Watch The British

Malenkov does not want war. He will try to follow Stalin's policy of "tiring them out." Stalin hoped he could drain us of men and money until we suffered from a depression. He, however, did not understand the American people, who are in no mood to compromise with Russian imperialism.

On the other hand, England is prepared to compromise with China in order to hold Hong Kong, to avoid a complete embargo and to prevent Russia from getting to the Mediterranean. Hence, Churchill could be a great factor in bringing the Korean War to an end. Therefore, I still believe that 1953 will see a Korean truce unless one of the satellites kicks over the apple cart.

Watch The Satellites

Another factor is that the Russian army chiefs do not want war. Although they might make a fine showing the first month by overrunning Europe and destroying one or more American cities, they know that Russia would be whipped in the end. They further know this would result in their death or banishment to Siberia.

This, however, is not true of the satellites—Poland, Czechoslovakia and China. Although these nations are now "under the thumb" of Russia with their people cowed by the fear of the Russian police, yet 90 per cent are for freedom from Russian control. Their people are

Bramblett's Operations

In the case of Bramblett, this column reported last fall that Mrs. Margaret Swanson, listed as working on the congressman's payroll from September 1949 to January 1951 never worked in his office. She drew the top salary in his office, \$4,700, but did not work for the congressman either in Washington or in his home district in California. She is the wife of Irving B. Swanson, Republican clerk of the House of Representatives and a close friend of Bramblett's.

The question arose, therefore, as to why she drew this top salary, paid her by all the taxpayers supposedly for helping Bramblett's constituents, though she did no work for them.

Another secretary, Vivian De Witt, was approached by Bramblett with an offer to boost her salary from \$3,400 to \$5,000 a year provided she would pay him \$5,000 cash in advance. She refused, and shortly thereafter left the congressman's employ.

Another secretary working for Congressman Bramblett, Mrs. Dee Bundy, was given a salary increase in January 1951 from \$2,200 to \$5,000. She denied giving any kickback, said her sudden increase was due to extra work. Her husband, incidentally, was also listed on the Bramblett payroll. Mrs. Bramblett also drew \$3,400 a year though was seldom seen around the office.

The above information was turned over to the FBI by this columnist last fall, and the FBI, after a careful investigation, sub-

mitted the evidence to the Justice Department. There, lesser officials inherited from the Democratic administration, recommended against prosecution. Some of them may have reviewed the facts too hastily. But at any rate they initiated the recommendation not to prosecute. These attorneys included Francis Walker, nephew of the late Jimmy Walker, mayor of New York; Justin Gould, Fred Strine and Raymond Whearty.

Pauley's Private Island

There's a political paradox that Harry Truman may not realize in the fact that he's chosen Coconut Island, the private island of oilman Ed Pauley, for his Hawaiian vacation.

Pauley has always posed as the great political promoter of Harry S. Truman. And it's true that at the Chicago convention of 1944 it was big Ed who ran back and forth from the convention floor to a private office under the speakers' platform wangling key delegates to switch from Wallace to Truman.

But in 1948 it was a different story. After Truman got the 1948 nominations, Pauley actually discouraged friends from contributing, told them Truman couldn't possibly win, that their money would be thrown away.

Came Truman's surprise victory over Dewey, however, and big Ed was on deck immediately after election day with \$65,000 of post-dated checks, eagerly though belatedly climbing aboard the Truman bandwagon. In fact, he went to the White House personally to take credit for the checks, did not dwell on the fact that they were postdated.

It was partly because of Pauley's fast recovery right after election that Truman made an ambassadorial appointment that cost him plenty of headaches—Mayor William O'Dwyer of New York as ambassador to Mexico. Pauley was working on an oil concession with the Mexican government at that time, also wanted a U. S. government loan to build a Mexican government refinery. Ed Flynn, boss of the Bronx, also had interests in Mexico.

So they sold Truman on the idea of appointing O'Dwyer to this key post.

That's the inside story of how O'Dwyer went to Mexico—where he's been ever since—a story, incidentally, which the ex-President probably doesn't know even today as he vacations on Pauley's private island.

Malibag

KARL HAARTZ, Andover, Mass.—Re your suggestion that all motorists be assessed \$500 for every life lost on the highway, Congressman Jack Dempsey of New Mexico recently told the American Association of State Highway Officials that, despite reckless drivers, Congress has failed to assume its responsibility to allot funds for better highways and that 75 per cent of funds paid in gasoline and excise taxes by citizens are being diverted to usage other than highway building and maintenance.

MRS. E. A. WALKER, College Park, Md.—My comment that Mrs. Fleur Cowles, wife of the Look magazine publisher, would not be welcome at the Court of St. James's was based on the long-standing tradition and custom that divorcees are not presented at court. Mrs. Cowles is a divorcee . . . My posi-

tion on lady ambassadors was made clear when I stated, February 23, that Mrs. Hiram Houghton, an extremely able woman with a wide understanding of foreign relations, would probably lose out on a proposed appointment as ambassador to the Netherlands because of informal opposition by the Dutch to lady diplomats. This was no reflection on her. But it remains a fact that European nations, except in Scandinavia, do not welcome women as ambassadors.

Root Lies With Cost

There is a bigger disillusionment which is still going on. What looked like simple government extravagance in Cleveland or Detroit, is beginning to look like simple self-preservation from the perspective of the Pentagon, the Treasury and the State Department. Everything ultimately hangs upon the response to this disillusionment.

The root of the trouble is the gigantic cost of national security in all its many forms—armed service appropriations, foreign military and other aid, atomic energy and so on.

The President and the chief men in the cabinet had somewhat naively, but sincerely, believed that this huge cost could be sufficiently reduced by what they called "cutting the waste." They have found some waste, to be sure. But they have also found that massive sav-

ing cannot be achieved without cutting out present or projected fighting power.

In addition, they have found the White House closets crammed with skeletons. The Massachusetts Institute of Technology report from Project Lincoln, that this country will be exposed to air-atomic destruction by the Soviet Union within two years, is only one of these skeletons. The Truman administration never really faced up to the meaning of the atomic bomb in Soviet hands. It never decisively tackled such terrible problems as the long-range ballistic missile, which may dominate the world-strategic scene in less than a decade.

For all these reasons, as all the high officials of the Eisenhower administration now freely admit, the strategic situation of this country is now worse—much worse—than is popularly supposed. Furthermore, it is still deteriorating.

Reversing this grave trend will require additions to the Truman security and defense budget, rather than subtractions from it. But if this necessity is accepted, cherished fiscal policies must be sacrificed. Strong congressional prejudices must be overcome. A different climate of public opinion must be created.

Is not all this impossible, and is not politics the art of the possible? Then, too, may not the long-established requirements of national security and the newly discovered skeletons in the White House closet look a bit differently, if they are just looked at a bit longer?

These are the questions the President, the National Security Council, the Pentagon, the Treasury and the State Department and the Budget Bureau have taken so much time to mull over. The ultimate decisions that have to be made is how much national security this country has got to pay for. It is such a grave decision that hordes of special consultants have been summoned to Washington. It is so complex that White House sources say the decision will not be final for another month.

Every other aspect of policy and politics in some way depends on this decision. Until it is taken, there can be no firm leaderships. That is one source of the President's troubles. Add to this that because of political inexperience, President Eisenhower and the men around him do not know their own strength and do not understand their power to lead if they choose to do so. The troubles are explained. They are also seen to be easily curable.

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Matter Of Fact

By JOSEPH And STEWART ALSOP

Eisenhower's Troubles

WASHINGTON

The biggest news last week was the squalid attack on the President, his secretary of State and his personal friend and nominee as ambassador to Moscow, by members of the President's own party in the Senate.

Meanwhile, reports have come in from the grass roots strongly hinting a need for firmer and clearer national leadership. As friendly a publication as "Time" magazine, in discussing the state of the administration, has recalled the period in the campaign when Eisenhower was accused of "running like a dry creek." In short, the symptoms that all is not well with the Eisenhower administration are now too obvious to be ignored.

It remains to identify the illness that causes these symptoms. Every doctor must make his own guess. But the most probable diagnosis is that the Eisenhower administration is suffering from a severe case of political indecision, sadly complicated by political inexperience.

The plain truth is that the President and his chief counselors have not yet decided which of the major roads before them will be best for the country. Until they took office, their ideas were clear enough. Stringent economy, a balanced budget, conservatism at home, intelligent boldness abroad, were to be the order of the day. But when they got to Washington, they soon discovered it was not going to be so simple after all. The failure to find a magic way out of the Korean impasse (which so many Eisenhower voters had been led to expect) was only a preliminary disillusionment.

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These Days

By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

The Bohlen Aftermath

It has been the procedure in American history, since after the administration of George Washington, that the majority party assume responsibility for the policies of government. General Eisenhower was elected as a Republican and the assumption is that Republican policies will prevail and that all policy-making positions will be held by Republicans.

President Harry Truman so fixed things, while he was President, that many policy-making positions were folded into the Civil Service, which means that although Eisenhower is actually President, he is not in command of the administration. It is estimated that about 1,500 opponents of his party, his policies and his administration hold key positions of government in which they can delay, if not stymie, the reforms that are essential to his success in office.

The change in these positions should have been made immediately, but were delayed over a fear of being accused of reintroducing the spoils system. This is nonsense because what is actually involved is the efficient administration of government. The appointment of the Rockefeller Committee has served only to delay changes in personnel along lines that are customary and practical.

In the State Department the situation is particularly bad because the Marshall-Acheson elements there are long entrenched. They have a vested interest in protecting the reputations of Roosevelt, Truman, Marshall and Acheson. What it amounts to is that they continue to pursue the policy of covering up tragic blunders so that the American people will not know what was done in their name. The Republican party pledged itself at its national convention to eliminate these elements from government.

When John Foster Dulles was appointed secretary of State, he gave every indication that he would clean up the State Department. He even cooperated with the McCarthy Committee. He appointed Scott McLeod as the security officer. He appointed an advisory committee of emeritus

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foreign service officers, Hugh Gibson, Norman Armour and Joseph C. Grew, to advise on appointees to foreign service posts. No better men could have been chosen, but from their purview were taken such posts as Moscow, Paris, Rome and London. I am reliably informed that this committee did not pass on the appointment of Charles E. Bohlen to Moscow. The controversy in the Senate on this subject between Senator McCarthy and Senator Knowland did not include, as a statement of fact, that this committee endorsed Bohlen for the Moscow post, nor was the letter which Senator Knowland showed ever put in the record. My own investigations show that Bohlen was never recommended by this committee for the Moscow post and it was not asked to.

The reasons for the objections to Bohlen have not truthfully been made public. Everybody skirts the subject with fanciful language. Dulles' defense that Bohlen would have nothing to do with policy was of itself, condemnatory. The implication must be that were it a policy position, he would not have been appointed. The only other attempt at defense was that what was in the FBI file is not substantiated by evidence.

The Bohlen case is only important because it achieved an open breach in the Republican party. The unanimous vote in the committee did not reflect a unanimous opinion. The Republicans felt that they preferred not to embarrass the President on this issue. The Constitution, however, provides that the Senate advise and consent to such appointments. The risk of an open break is politically great, because in 1954, the Republicans can lose control of the Senate. Some of them already feel that it would be preferable if the Democrats were in the majority there, as they feel the Democrats actually are in control.

Unless during the next three months the Republicans find a way to assume management of the administration and particularly to rid the State Department of Acheson influences, they will not be in charge of the administration.

Bohlen is no better or worse than many others in the State Department. He has had advantage of knowing Russian and has had a wide experience as the interpreter for Roosevelt and Truman. The actual target is likely to remain because the Republicans made an issue of Acheson while he was in office. They dare not evade this issue politically. Many of them feel that the continuance of Acheson men in office is a repudiation of their pledges.

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Social Security Expansion

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Each of these pieces of legislation must originate in the House and, in the first instance, in the Ways and Means Committee. A possible compromise to break the present impasse would be to allow income tax reductions to take effect on September 1, instead of July 1, and to limit action on social security to broadening its coverage, leaving more fundamental changes to the 1954 session of Congress.

The original Social Security Act, adopted in 1935, brought into 25 million workers into the old-age and survivors' insurance system. Frequent revisions, pointing to eventual coverage of the entire working population, have resulted in present coverage of four out of every five workers. But the social security system still falls short of meeting the economic needs of large numbers of elderly persons.

There are 13.4 million persons aged 65 or more in the population. Approximately 4 million are still working or are wives of elderly workers. Approximately 3.8 million receive social security benefits and another million draw benefits from other public retirement systems. The remainder, roughly 4 million, live off private assets or depend on private or public charity.

The high wages and high employment of the last dozen years have brought in more money from payroll taxes than was anticipated and this has prompted successive liberalizations of benefits by Congress. The favorable balance in the old-age trust fund now stands at more than \$17 billion. Some critics of present methods of financing see danger that, with the increase in beneficiary rolls and further liberalization of benefits, the trust fund will not be able to meet all its future obligations. Others fear that the trust fund may grow so large as to absorb the entire public debt through its investments in government securities and that no other outlet will then remain except investment in what are now private business enterprises. This, they say, would be a long step toward social socialism.

Critics of the present trust fund would have social security financed under a pay-as-you-go plan. They would keep only a small reserve for recession years when old-age benefits might exceed the amounts brought in by payroll taxes. And there is considerable support for a small flat monthly payment to all the aged in the population, whether or not they have contributed to the reserve fund in the past. This would allow the federal government to abolish the present system of aid to the states in caring for elderly persons not now covered by social security.

The U. S. Chamber of Commerce states that a poll of 13,300 member organizations reveals 16-to-1 support for a pay-as-you-go plan of social security financing. It advocates universal coverage and flat payments of perhaps \$25 a month for all persons over 65. The AFL and CIO take strong exception to this plan. According to the CIO, pay-as-you-go financing would make it impossible to increase monetary benefits for retired workers and would discourage extension of non-monetary benefits such as medical care. The unions support extension of social security to all workers, an increase in the taxable base from the first \$3,600 to the first \$4,800 of wages, and boosts in payments under both the insurance plan and the relief system for the needy aged.

How To Kill A Walrus

Hunting the walrus used to be fun, no doubt, and heaving a harpoon into a vital spot of a pachydermatous ton-and-a-half monster insulated by thick layers of blubber while standing on a heaving deck may have been a sport requiring considerable skill.

In skill and sportsmanship it rated far above the sportsmanship of shooting into a bison herd from the window of a moving passenger train. But the net result is about the same. The walrus, like the bison, is nearly extinct.

Since Herbert died, not a zoo in the United States has a walrus on display. Herbert was the pride and joy of the Bronx Zoo in New York since he arrived from Denmark 17 months ago, a tiny babe weighing only 250 pounds. Everyone loved good-natured Herbert, apparently, and Herbert loved everybody. The child (if it was a child) who threw Herbert a rubber ball may have loved him too. But the ball was as effective as a well-aimed harpoon. It done him in.

He had been doing well, too. In 17 months he had gained more than 700 pounds and reached a size about one-third that of an adult walrus. But a rubber ball is a deadly weapon in a zoo. Bronx Zoo officials say they have lost sea lions, ostriches, condors, pheasants, a cassowary and other animals from intestinal obstructions caused by swallowing rubber balls.

What's left of sad-faced, sweet-tempered Herbert will probably go to a museum to be stuffed.

Controlling The Money

A document that should be widely read has been issued by the Committee for Economic Development. Prepared by the committee's research and policy committee, it is called "Flexible Monetary Policy: What It Is and How It Works." The title explains why it will not reach a large audience. The subject is rather technical for many laymen.

The report observes that the effectiveness of monetary controls in combating depression is a controversial subject but that there is wide agreement that they are useful in combating inflation. It then considers the devices the Federal Reserve System can use in contracting the money supply when inflationary trends threaten to get out of hand.

These devices, the study finds, are effective. But they can fail when the system is not allowed freedom to conduct its operations in order to achieve stability. If it must provide a market for government securities at low interest rates, it cannot carry out its primary responsibility. And while such a market holds down the cost of servicing the debt, the reports finds that this is an expensive saving at the price of inflation.

The Federal Reserve System recovered some measure of autonomy before the end of the Truman administration. But the struggle that had to be waged before that happened indicates that it should be endowed with greater independence.

How To Keep Well

By Dr. T. R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is enclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases.

To Stop Smoking: Stop

How can I stop smoking? This is a common question from those who want to break a bad habit or have medical reasons for wishing a divorce from Lady Nicotine. The answer is simple but the job is difficult to carry out.

It is necessary to begin by dispensing with all the excuses that go with not wanting to break the habit. These include: "Not enough will power," "It soothes my nerves," "It relieves boredom," and "I enjoy it too much." Meanwhile, a good motive for quitting is absolutely essential because the conflict that ensues is between the desire to stop and the craving for tobacco. The individual must figure out the advantages to be expected from the change. For some, this would be improvement in the blood pressure level, the heart, circulation, or stomach ulcer. Victims of Burger's disease may forestall gangrene and leg amputation. Others are afraid of cancer of the lung. The reason given by some is smoker's throat, chronic bronchial cough, or enslavement to a habit. These factors bolster the conviction to quit but before the break is made a preparatory buildup is advisable.

For years I was a heavy smoker and had made many unsuccessful attempts to quit. Most of these ventures consisted of cutting down gradually but the fewer cigarettes I smoked the better they tasted. I decided to change my plan and, for the buildup, doubled the daily intake. The day of abstinence arrived. I was depressed and had a terrible taste in my mouth which burned like the inside of a furnace. I had just finished a bout of hacking and said, "This is it." I threw my pack of cigarettes against the wall with the determination never to smoke again. The more intense craving persisted for two days before beginning to wane and several months elapsed before it reached zero. But even today, at times of particular stress, the desire returns temporarily.

The ritual that follows the break is as important as the one preceding it. The will to abstain must be pursued relentlessly. To remain on the offensive, the individual must think continuously of the bad effects of smoking and the rewards that follow abstinence. There should be no compromise and it must be firmly realized that one single puff will make the individual a smoker again. Do not underestimate the latter because most people who fail do so because they think "just one little puff won't hurt a bit." I have no faith in the widely advertised crutches introduced from time to time: pills, pellets, liquids, gargles, or lozenges.

What has been said applies chiefly to those who find it difficult to break the habit. Many other ways have been advocated and those who do not believe in stopping abruptly might be interested in a method advocated in "The Truth About Smoking," by Roger William Riis. This is a modification of the tapering-off process except that the chronic smoker decides not to smoke before 9 a. m. After two or three weeks of success the limit is raised to 10 a. m., then 11, then 12, and 'round the clock. The rationale for this treatment is based on the fact that the smoker controls the habit part of the time at first and then all of the time.

TOMORROW: A puzzling eye defect in premature: retrolental fibroplasia.

OVERGROWTH OF TISSUE

K. A. writes: What is the treatment of keloids?

REPLY

These abnormal growths of tissue that sometimes follow wounds and burns may be removed surgically after X-ray exposure or by freezing with liquid nitrogen. More recently, Dr. Theodore Cornbleet described successful results in 11 patients through the injection of the enzyme, hyaluronidase. This product is said to soften the glue-like mass that holds the cells together.

SORE KNEES

J. D. writes: I'm 40 years old and when I bend my knees they hurt. Is this the start of arthritis?

REPLY

It may be the beginning of osteoarthritis which represents the wear and tear of the aging process. But the same symptom can be caused by a disturbance in the ligaments, tendons, or fascia that surround the knee joint. Hence examination would be needed before your question could be answered.

HOME CARE

Mrs. Z. writes: Can a person with tuberculosis be cared for at home?

REPLY

Yes, but it is more difficult and in addition exposes the other members of the family to the infection. It should never be attempted when there are children in the household because youngsters do not know the meaning of contagion. In many instances, treatment of tuberculosis calls for spending the first few weeks or months in a sanatorium, while the disease is in its most active stage. Here the patient receives the new anti-tuberculosis drugs and pneumothorax. Thereafter, convalescence is continued at home.

"But I Just Haven't Any Confidence"



DREW PEARSON on

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

GOP Justice Department Rules Against California GOP Congressman; Kickback Charges Were Revealed By Merry-Go-Round Column Last Year

WASHINGTON—The new Republican Justice Department has started out by not pulling any punches regarding the prosecution of Republicans, including Republican congressmen.

As a result, Congressman Earnest Bramblett, Republican of Pacific Grove, 11th District of California, faces grand jury action on charges made by this column last fall of taking kickbacks from his office staff.

The grand jury action is being ordered by another California Republican, Warren Olney, now assistant attorney general in charge of the Criminal Division, who as counsel for the California Crime Commission did more than any other one man to clean up crime in that state. Since coming to Washington, he has helped to crack down on one notorious figure in the California gambling world, Emilio Georgetti, whom the Democrats did nothing about.

Olney also caused havoc in the Justice Department by asking the resignation of four Democrat lawyers in his Criminal Division who dragged their heels regarding Congressman Bramblett.

Ordinarily, Justice Department attorneys do not like to tangle with congressmen, let alone prosecute them. This writer supplied most of the evidence to the Justice Department in the case of ex-Congressman Parnell Thomas of New Jersey before it prosecuted, also part of the evidence regarding ex-Congressman Andrew May of Kentucky, and published the original kickback information regarding Congressman Walter Brehm of Ohio. All were convicted.

Bramblett's Operations

In the case of Bramblett, this column reported last fall that Mrs. Margaret Swanson, listed as working on the congressman's payroll from September 1949 to January 1951 never worked in his office. She drew the top salary in his office, \$4,700, but did not work for the congressman either in Washington or in his home district in California. She is the wife of Irving B. Swanson, Republican clerk of the House of Representatives and a close friend of Bramblett's.

The question arose, therefore, as to why she drew this top salary, paid her by all the taxpayers supposedly for helping Bramblett's constituents, though she did no work for them.

Another secretary, Vivian De Witt, was approached by Bramblett with an offer to boost her salary from \$3,400 to \$5,000 a year provided she would pay him \$5,000 cash in advance. She refused, and shortly thereafter left the congressman's employ.

Another secretary working for Congressman Bramblett, Mrs. Dee Bundy, was given a salary increase in January 1951 from \$2,200 to \$5,000. She denied giving any kickback, said her sudden increase was due to extra work. Her husband, incidentally, was also listed on the Bramblett payroll. Mrs. Bramblett also drew \$3,400 a year though was seldom seen around the office.

The above information was turned over to the FBI by this columnist last fall, and the FBI, after a careful investigation, submitted the evidence to the Justice Department. There, lesser officials inherited from the Democratic administration, recommended against prosecution. Some of them may have reviewed the facts too hastily. But at any rate they initiated the recommendation not to prosecute. These attorneys included Francis Walker, nephew of the late Jimmy Walker, mayor of New York; Justin Gould, Fred Strine and Raymond Whearty.

Their new Republican chief, Warren Olney, however, himself a Californian and a Republican, reviewed the case against his fellow Republican and decided it should go to a grand jury.

Pauley's Private Island

There's a political paradox that Harry Truman may not realize in the fact that he's chosen Cocoon Island, the private island of oilman Ed Pauley, for his Hawaiian vacation.

Pauley has always posed as the great political promoter of Harry S. Truman. And it's true that at the Chicago convention of 1944 it was big Ed who ran back and forth from the convention floor to a private office under the speakers' platform wangling key delegates to switch from Wallace to Truman.

But in 1948 it was a different story. After Truman got the 1948 nominations, Pauley actually discouraged friends from contributing, told them Truman couldn't possibly win, that their money would be thrown away.

Came Truman's surprise victory over Dewey, however, and big Ed was on deck immediately after election day with \$65,000 of post-dated checks, eagerly though belatedly climbing aboard the Truman bandwagon. In fact, he went to the White House personally to take credit for the checks, did not dwell on the fact that they were postdated.

It was partly because of Pauley's fast recovery right after election that Truman made an ambassadorial appointment that cost him plenty of headaches—Mayor William O'Dwyer of New York as ambassador to Mexico. Pauley was working on an oil concession with the Mexican government at that time, also wanted a U. S. government loan to build a Mexican government refinery. Ed Flynn, boss of the Bronx, also had interests in Mexico.

So they sold Truman on the idea of appointing O'Dwyer to this key post.

That's the inside story of how O'Dwyer went to Mexico—where he's been ever since—a story, incidentally, which the ex-President probably doesn't know even today as he vacations on Pauley's private island.

Mailbag

KARL HAARTZ, Andover, Mass.—Re your suggestion that all motorists be assessed \$.001 for every life lost on the highway, Congressman Jack Dempsey of New Mexico recently told the American Association of State Highway Officials that, despite reckless drivers, Congress has failed to assume its responsibility to allot funds for better highways and that 75 per cent of funds paid in gasoline and excise taxes by citizens are being diverted to usage other than highway building and maintenance.

MRS. E. A. WALKER, College Park, Md.—My comment that Mrs. Fleur Cowles, wife of the Look magazine publisher, would not be welcome at the Court of St. James was based on the long-standing tradition and custom that divorcees are not presented at court. Mrs. Cowles is a divorcee. . . . My position

Matter Of Fact

By JOSEPH And STEWART ALSOP

Eisenhower's Troubles

WASHINGTON

The biggest news last week was the squalid attack on the President, his secretary of State and his personal friend and nominee as ambassador to Moscow, by members of the President's own party in the Senate.

Meanwhile, reports have come in from the grass roots strongly hinting at a need for firmer and clearer national leadership. As friendly a publication as "Time" magazine, in discussing the state of the administration, has recalled the period in the campaign when Eisenhower was accused of "running like a dry creek." In short, the symptoms that all is not well with the Eisenhower administration are now too obvious to be ignored.

It remains to identify the illness that causes these symptoms. Every doctor must make his own guess. But the most probable diagnosis is that the Eisenhower administration is suffering from a severe case of political indecision, sadly complicated by political inexperience.

The plain truth is that the President and his chief counsellors have not yet decided which of the major roads before them will be best for the country. Until they took office, their ideas were clear enough. Stringent economy, a balanced budget, conservatism at home, intelligent boldness abroad, were to be the order of the day. But when they got to Washington, they soon discovered it was not going to be so simple after all. The failure to find a magic way out of the Korean impasse (which so many Eisenhower voters had been led to expect) was only a preliminary disillusionment.

Root Lies With Cost

There is a bigger disillusionment which is still going on. What looked like simple government extravagance in Cleveland or Detroit, is beginning to look like simple self-preservation from the perspective of the Pentagon, the Treasury and the State Department. Everything ultimately hangs upon the response to this disillusionment.

The root of the trouble is the gigantic cost of national security in all its many forms—armed service appropriations, foreign military and other aid, atomic energy and so on.

The President and the chief men in the cabinet had somewhat naively, but sincerely, believed that this huge cost could be sufficiently reduced by what they called "cutting the waste." They have found some waste, to be sure. But they have also found that massive sav-

ings cannot be achieved without cutting out present or projected fighting power.

In addition, they have found the White House closets crammed with skeletons. The Massachusetts Institute of Technology report from Project Lincoln, that this country will be exposed to air-atomic destruction by the Soviet Union within two years, is only one of these skeletons. The Truman administration never really faced up to the meaning of the atomic bomb in Soviet hands. It never decisively tackled such terrible problems as the long-range ballistic missile, which may dominate the world-strategic scene in less than a decade.

For all these reasons, as all the high officials of the Eisenhower administration now freely admit, the strategic situation of this country is now worse—much worse—than is popularly supposed. Furthermore, it is still deteriorating.

How Much Security

Reversing this grave trend will require additions to the Truman security and defense budget, rather than subtractions from it. But if this necessity is accepted, cherished fiscal policies must be sacrificed. Strong congressional prejudices must be overcome. A different climate of public opinion must be created.

Is not all this impossible, and is not politics the art of the possible? Then, too, may not the long-established requirements of national security and the newly discovered skeletons in the White House closet look a bit differently, if they are just looked at a bit longer?

These are the questions the President, the National Security Council, the Pentagon, the Treasury and the State Department and the Budget Bureau have taken so much time to mull over. The ultimate decisions that have to be made is how much national security this country has got to pay for. It is such a grave decision that hordes of special consultants have been summoned to Washington. It is so complex that White House sources say the decision will not be final for another month.

Every other aspect of policy and politics in some way depends on this decision. Until it is taken, there can be no firm leadership. That is one source of the President's troubles. Add to this that because of political inexperience, President Eisenhower and the men around him do not know their own strength and do not understand their power to lead if they choose to do so. The troubles are explained. They are also seen to be easily curable.

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These Days

By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

The Bohlen Aftermath

It has been the procedure in American history, since after the administration of George Washington, that the majority party assume responsibility for the policies of government. General Eisenhower was elected as a Republican and the assumption is that Republican policies will prevail and that all policy-making positions will be held by Republicans.

President Harry Truman so fixed things, while he was President, that many policy-making positions were folded into the Civil Service, which means that although Eisenhower is actually President, he is not in command of the administration. It is estimated that about 1,500 opponents of his party, his policies and his administration hold key positions of government in which they can delay, if not stymie, the reforms that are essential to his success in office.

The change in these positions should have been made immediately, but were delayed over a fear of being accused of reintroducing the spoils system. This is nonsense because what is actually involved is the efficient administration of government. The appointment of the Rockefeller Committee has served only to delay changes in personnel along lines that are customary and practical.

In the State Department the situation is particularly bad because the Marshall-Acheson elements there are long entrenched. They have a vested interest in protecting the reputations of Roosevelt, Truman, Marshall and Acheson. What it amounts to is that they continue to pursue the policy of covering up tragic blunders so that the American people will not know what was done in their name. The Republican party pledged itself at its national convention to eliminate these elements from government.

When John Foster Dulles was appointed secretary of State, he gave every indication that he would clean up the State Department. He even co-operated with the McCarthy Committee. He appointed Scott McLeod as the security officer. He appointed an advisory committee of emeritus

tion on lady ambassadors was made clear when I stated, February 23, that Mrs. Hiram Houghton, an extremely able woman with a wide understanding of foreign relations, would probably lose out on a proposed appointment as ambassador to the Netherlands because of informal opposition by the Dutch to lady diplomats. This was no reflection on her. But it remains a fact that European nations, except in Scandinavia, do not welcome women as ambassadors.

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Bohlen is no better or worse than many others in the State Department. He has had advantage of knowing Russian and has had a wide experience as the interpreter for Roosevelt and Truman. The actual target is the Acheson gang, and that target is likely to remain because the Republicans made an issue of Acheson while he was in office. They dare not evade this issue politically. Many of them feel that the continuance of Acheson men in office is a repudiation of their pledges.

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Tri-Towns Lions To Mark Eighth Anniversary

WESTERNPORT — Massey H. Roe, Hagerstown, international director of the Lions, will speak at the eighth anniversary dinner of the Westernport and Luke Lions Club scheduled for Thursday, April 23.

Norris Bruce, president, appointed a committee composed of all past presidents, to arrange for the affair at a meeting of the club Thursday held in the recreation room of Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church.

The committee includes John E. Grindle, chairman, William Phelps, Joseph Nelson, Hollis Howe and J. William Beck. This committee will also nominate officers for the coming year. The election of officers will be held on May 14.

William Phelps reported on a meeting with Mayor Okey E. Michael and Commissioners, relative to cooperating in a clean-up campaign. The club hopes to interest Piedmont and Luke and make it a combined project. The tentative date for the clean-up drive has been set for May 4 through May 16.

Hill St. PTA To Meet Today

FROSTBURG — The Hill Street School PTA will meet tonight at 8 with H. H. Payne, faculty member of Beall High School, presiding.

Musicians under the direction of Monroe Harris at Beall High, will present a musical program. They are Ruth Adams, Nancy Bean, Jane Blair, Paul Brode, Earl Clark, Mary Carter, Carol Clise, Carol Chaney, Sara Grahame, Suzanne Harrison, William Eisle, John Jones, Nora Kasecamp, James Kergan, Herman Lennox, Gerald Dawson, Laura Rennie, Oliver Rephann, Nancy Robeson, Bruce Simmons, Frederick Thomas, James Thompson, Mary Urbas, Doris Williams, Martha Winfield, Patsy Warner, Wilma Thomas, Owen Robeson, Thomas Martin, Lois Patterson, Sue Wright and Judy Lewis.

Holy Week Rites Are Announced

MIDLAND — Holy Week services and activities for churches in the Midland Methodist Circuit have been announced by Rev. Louis Emerick, pastor.

Tonight, tomorrow and Wednesday nights, members of the circuit churches will take part in the community services in Lonaconing.

A Holy Communion service will be held in Grace Church here on Holy Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Wendell Allen, pastor of Barton Methodist, will be guest minister.

A Good Friday service will be held from noon to 3 p. m. at the Midland church, and a sunrise service will be held Easter Sunday morning at 6:30 a. m. A Special Easter service will be held at 11 a. m. with the reception of new members.

Swanton Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tichinel, Route 3, announce the birth of a daughter in Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W. Va., on March 16.

The mother is the former Miss Frankie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith, Route 3. The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Tichinel, also of Route 3.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kellar, Route 1, Westernport, announce the birth of a son in Potomac Valley Hospital. The child was named Raymond Marshall.

Tommy Friend, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Friend, is ill at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood George recently visited Mrs. Tressa B. Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fitzwater and daughter Ada Jane visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Friend and son in Alliance, Ohio, over the weekend.

Mrs. Tressa Friend, Route 3, visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Friend and son Fred Milton Friend, Alliance, Ohio, last weekend.

Mrs. Thomas Wilson and sons, Diamond, Ohio, have returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Friend in Deer Park, and friends in Swanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Custer were dinner guests recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Friend in Deer Park.

Mrs. Tressa Friend visited recently at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Friend, Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, Mrs. Ellen Lee and Miss Alice Campbell in Deer Park.

Terra Alta Stock Yard

TERRA ALTA, W. Va. — Calves, medium to good, \$25.00 to \$31.50; calves, culls to common, \$12.30 to \$22.50; steers, \$20.90 to \$21.40; steer calves, by head, \$120; heifers, \$14.80 to \$18; heifers, by head, \$102 to \$131; heifer calves, \$60 to \$102; cows, \$10.10 to \$13.70; cows, by head, \$104 to \$198; bulls, \$15.40 to \$19.80; bulls, by head, \$81 to \$134; bull calves, \$11.50 to \$18; hogs, \$18.75 to \$21.25; pigs and shoats, by head, \$4.75 to \$18; horses, by head, \$32.50 to \$83; hens, 21 to 30 cents.

Lonaconing Presbyterians Arrange Easter Cantata

LONACONING — "Memories of Easter Morn," an Easter cantata arranged by Ellen Jane Lorenz, will be presented by the Adult Choir at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Verna Miller is directress of music; Miss Dorothy Brown is

Queen, King Chosen For School Event

Burlington Students Plan May Day Fete

KEYSER — Pupils of Burlington School have chosen Nancy Miller, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller, Burlington, and Donald Welch, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Welch, Ridgeville, to reign as their queen and king during the annual May Day Festivities to be held at the school during the first week in May. Both are eighth grade students.

The queen and king will have as their attendants Naoma Shreve and Caroline Cook, maids of honor, and Steve Wilson and Willard Am-tower, escorts.

Other members of the procession will include Harry Helman and Elaine Welch as crown bearers; Harry Meek, Janet Newcomb, Robert Dayton, Sandra Kay McDowell, Ivan Welch, Joyce Sions, Thomas Mayhew, Carol Jane Noll, Ronald Whetzel, Marilyn Riffe, Judith Newcomb, James Noll, James Braddock, Wilma Reigner, Harlan Barbe and Daisy Rinker, in the court of honor.

Preliminary preparations for the annual event are well underway. William Wageley, Jr., music instructor in the school, said the date of the event and the program will be announced later.

Miss Kerns Is Named Queen

KEYSER — Miss Carolyn Kerns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd V. Kerns, Ridgeley, a graduate of Ridgeley High School, was crowned Queen Carolyn I during intermission at the annual pre-Easter Ball at Potomac State School Friday evening.

The event, sponsored jointly by Phi Kappa Omega fraternity and Kappa Delta Psi sorority, was held in the college auditorium.

The queen, a sophomore, is a general secretarial major. She was selected by the votes of members of the two Kappa societies.

Keyser High FFA Holds Banquet

KEYSER — The Keyser High School Chapter of the Future Farmers of America staged its first parents-dinner Thursday in the school cafeteria.

The dinner, held in observance of the silver anniversary of the FFA, was highlighted by the presentation of an honorary degree in FFA to J. Lee Temple, in recognition of his work in the chapter.

Guests included H. L. Idleman, superintendent of schools; A. G. Springer, assistant superintendent; Miss Jeanette McGuffie, county supervisor; Parker C. Black, principal; James W. Goldworthy, assistant principal; Frank Calentine, Owen Schaffer, Brown H. Oates, Lee Temple, Frank Hott, Ken Malone, Mrs. Mildred Thompson, and John Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wiebrecht and daughter, Bonnie Jean, Pine Street, left Friday for Summerfield, Calif., to visit Mrs. Wiebrecht's brother, Carl Kennell, a former resident of Frostburg.

Mrs. Alice Reig, 25 Washington Street, returned home from Miner's Hospital.

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Albright Power Station To Be Dedicated Soon

Dedication ceremonies for the new Albright (W. Va.) electric power station have tentatively been set for Tuesday, May 19. Station tours and addresses by business leaders, government officials and utility company personnel will highlight the program.

Among those representing the utility companies at the dedication will be R. Paul Smith, president of the Potomac Edison Company; A. C. Spurr, president of the Monongahela Power Company; and E. S. Thompson, president of the West Penn Electric Company.

The dedication program will start at 10 a. m. with a series of station tours. These will continue until the noon luncheon.

Dedication ceremonies will start after the luncheon and the tours will be continued for those who are unable to attend during the morning.

Governors William C. Marland of West Virginia and Theodore R. McKeldin of Maryland have been invited to take part.

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PETERSBURG, W. Va. — Dema Kennedy of Chicago, Illinois, a field consultant for the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, and Mrs. Edward Menkemeller, president of the West Virginia Congress of Parents and Teachers will conduct a Leadership Training Institute at the Grade School in Petersburg, April 9.

There will be an afternoon session beginning at 2:00 o'clock and an evening session beginning at 7:30.

For many years Miss Kennedy was associated with the Girl Scouts of America, serving first as executive secretary and later as instructor at the national training school in New York and at regional training schools in New England and throughout the South and Southwest. She was long associated with the executive board of the New England section of the American Camping Association and served as chairman of its public relations committee.

With a bachelor's degree from Butler University in Indianapolis and a master's degree from the Bread Loaf School of English, Middlebury College, Vermont, Miss Kennedy has also done special work at Babson Institute, Harvard, DePaul, and the University of Wisconsin.

In her work as field consultant Miss Kennedy reaches all parts of the country and extends service to many of the more than 38,000 local parent-teacher associations that make up the National Congress with its vast membership of over 7,000,000.

Holy Week Rites Planned

FROSTBURG — Dr. Paul V. Taylor, pastor of Zion Evangelical and Reformed Church, has announced services for Holy Week as follows:

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., sermon, "On Trial"; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., a quiet hour service conducted by the Women's Guild. The theme will be "King of My Soul."

Thursday there will be a Maundy Thursday Communion service and a sermon on the topic "Drink Ye All Of It."

The congregation will join with other Protestant churches in a three-hour service Friday at noon at First Methodist Church.

Elliott Is President Of Republican Club

LONAONING — The Lonaconing Republican Club elected officers at a meeting Thursday night.

Jack Elliott was named president; Sam Gardner, vice president; Harry Warnick, treasurer; John Turnbull, secretary. Mrs. Mary Abbott was elected historian; James Ritchie, sergeant-at-arms; Glen Ritchie, Henry Smith, Angus Turnbull, James Park and Earl Smith, trustees. A dance followed the election and refreshments were served.

Frostburg Briefs

St. Mary's Guild of St. John's Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday following the regular church service. Hostesses will be Mrs. Rudolph Winkler, Mrs. Benjamin Thomas and Mrs. Samuel T. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fraley, Centennial Street, are the parents of a son born Thursday in Miners Hospital.

A son was born Thursday in Miners Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crowe, Route 2, Frostburg.

Miss Mary T. Howie, superintendent of Miners Hospital, announced that the Boys and Girls 4-H clubs of Grantsville have donated favors to be used for Easter at the hospital. Miss Howie expressed appreciation for the gifts.

Newly-elected trustees are Alexander Gardner, George Brown and Melvin Broadwater. Holdovers are Paul Byrne and Patrick McConnell.

Officers will be installed at the April meeting.

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Tri-Towns Lions To Mark Eighth Anniversary

WESTERNPORT — Massey H. Roe, Hagerstown, international director of the Lions, will speak at the eighth anniversary dinner of the Westernport and Luke Lions Club, scheduled for Thursday, April 23.

Norris Bruce, president, appointed a committee composed of all past presidents, to arrange for the affair at a meeting of the club Thursday held in the recreation room of Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church.

The committee includes John E. Grindle, chairman, William Phelps, Joseph Nelson, Hollis Howe and J. William Beck. This committee will also nominate officers for the coming year. The election of officers will be held on May 14.

William Phelps reported on a meeting with Mayor Okey E. Michael and Commissioners, relative to cooperating in a clean-up campaign. The club hopes to interest Piedmont and Luke and make it a combined project. The tentative date for the clean-up drive has been set for May 4 through May 16.

Hill St. PTA To Meet Today

FROSTBURG — The Hill Street School PTA will meet tonight at 8 with H. H. Payne, faculty member of Beall High School, presiding.

Music students under the direction of Monroe Harris at Beall High, will present a musical program. They are Ruth Adams, Nancy Bean, Jane Blair, Paul Brode, Earl Clark, Mary Carter, Carol Clise, Carol Chaney, Sara Grahame, Suzanne Harrison, William Eisle, John Jones, Nora Kasecamp, James Kegan, Herman Lennox, Gerald Dawson, Laura Rennie, Oliver Rephann, Nancy Robeson, Bruce Simmons, Frederick Thomas, James Thompson, Mary Urbas, Doris Williams, Martha Winfield, Patsy Warner, Wilma Thomas, Owen Robeson, Thomas Martin, Lois Patterson, Sue Wright and Judy Lewis.

Holy Week Rites Are Announced

MIDLAND—Holy Week services and activities for churches in the Midland Methodist Circuit have been announced by Rev. Louis Emerick, pastor.

Tonight, tomorrow and Wednesday nights, members of the circuit churches will take part in the community services in Lonaconing.

A Holy Communion service will be held in Grace Church here on Holy Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Wendell Allen, pastor of Barton Methodist, will be guest minister.

A Good Friday service will be held from noon to 3 p. m. at the Midland church, and a sunrise service will be held Easter Sunday morning at 6:30 a. m. A special Easter service will be held at 11 a. m. with the reception of new members.

Swanton Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tichinel, Route 3, announce the birth of a daughter in Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W. Va., on March 16. The mother is the former Miss Frankie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Route 3.

The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Tichinel, also of Route 3. Mr. and Mrs. James Kellar, Route 1, Westernport, announce the birth of a son in Potomac Valley Hospital. The child was named Raymond Marshall.

Tommy Friend, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Friend, is ill at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood George recently visited Mrs. Tressa B. Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fitzwater and daughter Ada Jane visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Friend and son in Alliance, Ohio, over the weekend.

Mrs. Tressa Friend, Route 3, visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Friend and son Fred Milton Friend, Alliance, Ohio, last weekend.

Mrs. Thomas Wilson and sons, Diamond, Ohio, have returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Friend in Deer Park, and friends in Swanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Custer were dinner guests recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Friend in Deer Park.

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TERRA ALTA, W. Va.—Calves, medium to good, \$25.90 to \$31.50; calves, culls to common, \$12.30 to \$22.50; steers, \$20.90 to \$21.40; steer calves, by head, \$120; heifers, \$14.80 to \$18; heifers, by head, \$102 to \$131; heifer calves, \$60 to \$102; cows, \$10.10 to \$13.70; cows, by head, \$104 to \$198; bulls, \$15.40 to \$19.80; bulls, by head, \$81 to \$134; bull calves, \$11.50 to \$18; hogs, \$18.75 to \$21.25; pigs and shoats, by head, \$4.75 to \$18; horses, by head, \$32.50 to \$83; hens, 21 to 30 cents.

Lonaconing Presbyterians Arrange Easter Cantata

LONACONING — "Memories of Easter Morn," an Easter cantata arranged by Ellen Jane Lorenz, will be presented by the Adult Choir at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Verna Miller is directress of music; Miss Dorothy Brown is organist; and Miss Betty Milford, assistant organist for the cantata dramatization, with music and text based on familiar Easter hymns.

Queen, King Chosen For School Event

Burlington Students Plan May Day Fete

KEYSER.—Pupils of Burlington School have chosen Nancy Miller, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller, Burlington, and Donald Welch, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Welch, Ridgeville, to reign as their queen and king during the annual May Day Festivities to be held at the school during the first week in May. Both are eighth grade students.

The queen and king will have, as their attendants Naoma Shreve and Caroline Cook, maids of honor, and Steve Wilson and Willard Am-tower, escorts.

Other members of the procession will include Harry Helman and Elaine Welch as crown bearers; Harry Meek, Janet Newcomb, Robert Dayton, Sandra Kay McDowell, Ivan Welch, Joyce Sions, Thomas Mayhew, Carol Jean Noll, Ronald Whetzel, Marilyn Riffle, Judith Newcomb, James Noll, James Brawford, Wilma Reigner, Harlan Barbe and Daisy Rinker, in the court of honor.

Preliminary preparations for the annual event are well underway. William Wageley, Jr., music instructor in the school, said the date of the event and the program will be announced later.

Miss Kerns Is Named Queen

KEYSER—Miss Carolyn Kerns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd V. Kerns, Ridgeley, a graduate of Ridgeley High School, was crowned Queen Carolyn I during intermission at the annual pre-Easter Ball at Potomac State School Friday evening.

The event, sponsored jointly by Phi Kappa Omega fraternity and Kappa Delta Psi sorority, was held in the college auditorium. The queen, a sophomore, is a general secretarial major. She was selected by the votes of members of the two Kappa societies.

Keyser High FFA Holds Banquet

KEYSER—The Keyser High School Chapter of the Future Farmers of America staged its first parent-son dinner Thursday in the school cafeteria.

The dinner, held in observance of the silver anniversary of the FFA, was highlighted by the presentation of an honorary degree in FFA to J. Lee Temple, in recognition of his work in the chapter.

Guests included H. L. Idleman, superintendent of schools; A. G. Springer, assistant superintendent; Miss Jeannette McGuffie, county supervisor; Parker C. Black, principal; James W. Goldworthy, assistant principal; Frank Calentine, Owen Schaffer, Brown H. Oates, Lee Temple, Frank Hott, Ken Malone, Mrs. Mildred Thompson, and John Harvey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wiebrecht and daughter, Bonnie Jean, Pine Street, left Friday for Sumnerfield, Calif., to visit Mrs. Wiebrecht's brother, Carl Kennell, a former resident of Frostburg.

Mrs. Alice Reig, 25 Washington Street, returned home from Miner's Hospital.

Miss Elizabeth Dando, Hill Street, is a patient in Miners Hospital, where she was admitted Monday after fracturing her right leg in a fall at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart and James Jeffries, South Water Street, left Friday to spend several weeks at St. Petersburg, Florida.

Mrs. John W. Collins and son, William, Columbus, Ind., have been here for the past two weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Metger, Frost Avenue. Mrs. Collins is the former Miss Helen Metger, of Frostburg.

Rev., Mrs. Shepherd Plan Open House

KEYSER — Rev. W. Cecil Shepherd, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, and Mrs. Shepherd will hold open house at the parsonage 132 South Mineral Street, Saturday from 3 to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 to 10:30 p. m. in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary.

Card Club Meets

MT. SAVAGE.—The Sunshine Card Club met recently at the home of Mrs. Isabel Adams, with Mrs. Isabel Robinson as hostess. Prizes were won by Mrs. Ada King, Mrs. Stella Jeffries, and Mrs. Gladys Adams.

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Dedication ceremonies for the new Albright (W. Va.) electric power station have tentatively been set for Tuesday, May 19. Station tours and addresses by business leaders, government officials and utility company personnel will highlight the program.

Among those representing the utility companies at the dedication will be R. Paul Smith, president of the Potomac Edison Company; A. C. Spurr, president of the Monongahela Power Company; and E. S. Thompson, president of the West Penn Electric Company.

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Those who attended were Mesdames Isabelle Nightengale, Florence Brown, Doreen Miller, Mary Ann Moore, Lindley Dye, Stuart Steele, Edward Crowe, William Logsdon, Elizabeth Ravenscroft.

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Candidates for first vice commander are James Rafter and Thomas Fahey, Russell Miller is unopposed for second vice commander.

Other candidates for office include William Metz, adjutant; John Donnelly, finance officer; Fred McKenzie, chaplain; Paul Stephens, service officer; Elton McKenzie, historian and James Thompson, sergeant-at-arms.

Carl Holcomb from the Forrest Service in Elkins spoke on erosion and its effect on land and then showed a film on "Coweeta Waters."

Moscow Church Plans Pre-Easter Services

MOSCOW — Special pre-Easter services are being held at the Moscow Church of the Nazarene each evening this week.

The services at 7:30 o'clock, are featuring special music and singing by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ashby of Oakland and the Bane sisters of Cumberland.

Visiting pastors and ministers will bring the messages each evening, according to Rev. R. T. Bro-hawn, pastor.

Area Resident Finishes Nursing School Course

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LONACONING — Edward E. Nolan has been elected commander of James P. Love Post 92, American Legion.

Nolan has served as adjutant of the post for the past four years, and at present is Mountain District vice commander.

Other officers are James M. Rae, first vice commander; Raymond Westfall, second vice commander; Leslie J. Clark, adjutant; Edward F. Mooney, finance officer; Raymond Miller, historian; William Nolan, chaplain; DeSales Byrnes, sergeant-at-arms; August Reicheldt, color guard; James W. Speir, service officer.

Newly-elected trustees are Alexander Gardner, George Brown and Melvin Broadwater. Holdovers are Paul Byrne and Patrick McConnell.

Officers will be installed at the April meeting.

Westernport Woman Wins Rebekah Post

WESTERNPORT — Mrs. Lulu Fazenbaker, a past noble grand and past deputy president of Miriam Rebekah Lodge and financial secretary for the lodge nine years, has been named a musician of the Grand Assembly of Maryland.

The sessions will open Monday evening, April 6, with a reception at the IOOF Temple in Baltimore.

During the meetings, Mrs. Fazenbaker and Mrs. Martha Weller of Colfax Lodge II, Cumberland, will sing a duet, "Look for the Beautiful," which is the Assembly president's motto.

Mrs. Fanny Grove, of Miriam Rebekah Lodge, will also attend the sessions.

Homemakers Hold Tray Instruction

MT. SAVAGE.—The Mt. Savage Homemakers finished classes in aluminum tray making in the Fire Hall Thursday where the Ladies Auxiliary of the fire company served luncheon. Instructors were Mrs. Margaret Haus, president of the club and Mrs. Barnarda Winer.

The Mt. Savage club and Eckhart Homemakers Club will be in charge of a radio program April 7. Mrs. Wesley Sleeman and Mrs. Isabel Adams will represent the local club. The subject will be "Antiques of Glass and Wood."

National PTA Leader Will Visit Petersburg April 9

PETERSBURG, W. Va. — Dema Kennedy of Chicago, Illinois, a field consultant for the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, and Mrs. Edward Menkemeller, president of the West Virginia Congress of Parents and Teachers will conduct a Leadership Training Institute at the Grade School in Petersburg, April 9.

There will be an afternoon session beginning at 2:00 o'clock and an evening session beginning at 7:30.

For many years Miss Kennedy was associated with the Girl Scouts of America, serving first as executive secretary and later as instructor at the national training school in New York and at regional training schools in New England and throughout the South and Southwest. She was long associated with the executive board of the New England section of the American Camping Association and served as chairman of its public relations committee.

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Holy Week Rites Planned

FROSTBURG—Dr. Paul V. Taylor, pastor of Zion Evangelical and Reformed Church, has announced services for Holy Week as follows:

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., sermon, "On Trial"; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., a quiet hour service conducted by the Women's Guild. The theme will be "King of My Soul."

Thursday there will be a Maundy Thursday Communion service and a sermon on the topic "Drink Ye All Of It."

The congregation will join with other Protestant churches in a three-hour service Friday at noon at First Methodist Church.

Elliott Is President Of Republican Club

LONACONING—The Lonaconing Republican Club elected officers at a meeting Thursday night.

Jack Elliott was named president; Sam Gardner, vice president; Harry Warnick, treasurer; John Turnbull, secretary. Mrs. John Abbott was elected historian; James Ritchie, sergeant-at-arms; Glen Ritchie, Henry Smith, Angus Turnbull, James Park and Earl Smith, trustees. A dance followed the election and refreshments were served.

Frostburg Briefs

St. Mary's Guild of St. John's Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday following the regular church service. Hostesses will be Mrs. Rudolph Winkler, Mrs. Benjamin Thomas and Mrs. Samuel T. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fraley, Centennial Street, are the parents of a son born Thursday in Miners Hospital.

A son was born Thursday in Miners Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crowe, Route 2, Frostburg. Miss Mary T. Howie, superintendent of Miners Hospital, announced that the Boys and Girls 4-H clubs of Grantsville have donated favors to be used for Easter at the hospital. Miss Howie expressed appreciation for the gifts.

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Mrs. Pase Heads VFW Auxiliary

LONACONING — Mrs. Ethel Moyer Pase was elected president of the Alvin C. Neat Post No. 5280, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Auxiliary, at a recent meeting.

Mrs. Jean Steele was elected senior vice president; Mrs. Margaret Stafford, junior vice president; Mrs. Marceen Cook, guard; Mrs. Edna Parks, treasurer; Mrs. Nina Rowan, chaplain; Mrs. Mae Zarger, conductress; Miss Leonard Powers, elected as three-year trustee. Mrs. Powers is retiring president.

Mrs. Vera Nave, president of District 3, VFW Auxiliary, made her official visit. She announced a district meeting was held in Frostburg, on Sunday, March 22, and the state encampment is planned in Baltimore June 18 through June 21.

Plans for the installation of officers will be made at the auxiliary meeting on Thursday.

Sweetheart Ball Is Held In Tri-Towns

WESTERNPORT—The fourth annual Sweetheart Ball, sponsored by the Tri-Towns Senior Scout Council, was held recently at Bruce High School auditorium. It was attended by 45 couples.

Visitors were present from Cumberland, Grantsville and Romney besides those in the district.

Mrs. Joseph Williams, Cumberland, chairman of Section 10, Region 3, Girl Scouts, and Miss Olive Hurburt, Girl Scout executive of Cumberland, also attended.

Services Scheduled

MT. SAVAGE—Mt. Savage Methodist Church will hold a Communion service Maundy Thursday at 7:30 p. m. On Good Friday at 7:30 p. m., Rev. L. J. Moore, pastor, will preach on "The People Stood Beholding."

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Lonaconing RC Fund Drive Goes Over The Top

LONACONING — Edward E. Nolan, chairman, has announced that \$882.32 was collected in the Red Cross fund drive for 1953, exceeding the quota of \$840.

In summarizing the district collections, Nolan reported these receipts:

Douglas Avenue, \$34.25; Beechwood and Kootz, \$11.50; Church Street, \$41.; Scotch Hill and Castle Hill, \$36; Harpersville and Knapps Meadow, \$35.85.

East Main Street, \$80.50; Water-cliffe, \$24; St. Mary's Terrace and Waterstation Run, \$34; Detmold, \$79; Pekin, \$27.75; Railroad Street \$6.80; Island Street, \$9; Dudley, \$18.50; Allegany, Washington and Front streets, \$31.10; Robin and Hanekamp Street to the VFW, \$8.75.

Jackson Street to the school, and Charleston, \$36.36; Hanekamp to Jackson Street, \$16; Gills Hill, \$15.55; High Street, \$5.15; West main, Union and the business section, \$150.50; Organizations, \$193.01.

Gratified by the success of the Lonaconing drive, Nolan extended thanks to all the workers, contributors and organizations who made our campaign a success." Alex Gardner served as assistant chairman; Miss Margaret Hepburn as drive treasurer; Miss Eleanor Cuthbertson was branch treasurer; Miss Nellie Sloan, branch chairman, and Mrs. Margaret Evans, publicity chairman.

Workers were Mrs. Bernadette Smith, Mrs. Mary Atkinson, Mrs. Agnes Marshall, Mrs. Elizabeth Kelly, Mrs. Clara Ours, Mrs. Myrtle Rowan, Miss Monica Woods, Miss Carol Kitzmiller, Mrs. Agnes Miller, Mrs. Jennie Peebles, Mrs. Ethel Vincel, Mrs. Wilmer Hyde, Mrs

CUBS COULD CLICK-INTO FIRST DIVISION WITH FINE PITCHING, POWER BY SAUER

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is another in a series on the major leagues. Others will follow on this page daily.

By S. D. ROCKWELL

MESA, Ariz. — Phil Cavarretta, the likeable skipper of the Chicago Cubs, hopes to steer his charges into the National league's first division this year. It wouldn't be much of a journey, for the Cubs finished fifth in the 1952 race.

But Cavarretta doesn't say "we will" reach the first division and "we should" make it because he knows what a difficult job lies ahead. Brooklyn, New York, St. Louis and Philadelphia are first-division minded, too, and on paper they look like better clubs.

"At least, we're setting the first division as our goal," Phil says. "It'll be tough, but there's a bare chance we can get up there."

The Bruins' rose to fifth last season on power supplied by big Hank Sauer, who had the best year of his life, tying Ralph Kiner for the home run crown at 37 round trippers, winning the runs batted in title at 121 and walking off with the most valuable player award.

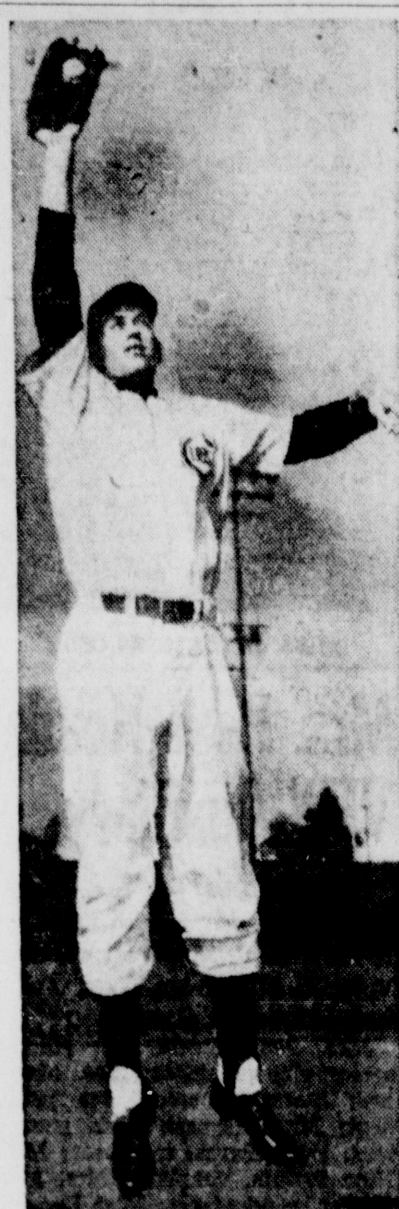
In order for the Cubs to keep going they must expect Sauer to keep hitting and this is a large order. He is now entering his 34th year and only two seasons ago he swatted the modest number of 30 home runs and drove in the relatively small number of 89 runs. He has to maintain his '52 pace if the Cubs hope to keep climbing.

OUTSIDE of Sauer, the Cubs haven't much power to speak of. Frankie Baumholtz hits for a respectable average, but he doesn't clout the ball out of the park. Ransom Jackson hits an occasional home run and so does Dee Fondy, but they aren't consistent sluggers. Sauer presents the only real home run threat in the entire Chicago lineup.

Pitching is something else, though. Their staff, headed by Bob Rush and Warren Hacker, is a formidable unit and it gives every indication of being considerably stronger this year. Cavarretta feels that Rush, long on the verge of greatness, can become one of the National league's best flingers before the 1953 season reaches its climax.

"Bob looks great this spring," Phil says. "I've never seen him look better. His fast ball is something to behold, his curve is terrific and his control is very good."

Rush won 17 games last year and Cavarretta expects him to hit the 20-victory class this season. He also looks for Hacker to be as effective as he was last year and that was very effective, indeed. He held the best earned-run average



First Sacker Dee Fondy



Hitting, pitching stars: Hank Sauer (left) and Bob Rush



Outfielder Frank Baumholtz



Catcher Clyde McCullough

in the league until he made his last start and then he dropped slightly behind Hoyt Wilhelm of the New York Giants.

Cavarretta is also counting on much help from Southpaw Paul Minner, Johnny Klippstein, Bob Kelly and even some from Dutch

Leonard, the grand old man of the National league who is still throwing his famed knuckle ball. Dutch passed 40 several years ago.

THE CUBS main problem is center field and shortstop. Cavarretta has been testing an ex-first baseman in center field and an outfielder at shortstop.

Hal Jeffcoat was the Cubs' center fielder last year and he was a fine defensive player, but he batted slightly more than .200. Therefore, Cavarretta has been experimenting with Preston Ward in center and the first results have been good. Ward, just out of the Army, runs well and throws well, but hasn't been very impressive at the plate. He has more power than Jeffcoat, however.

The Cubs were greatly disappointed in Roy Smalley last year and are now testing Tommy Brown at shortstop. Brown, an ex-Dodger, always has been a good hitter, but he has never found a home in the field, playing utility roles both in the infield and outfield. Early reports indicate that he has some aptitude for shortstop, but it is not yet known whether he has enough to replace Smalley.

The tall, agile Smalley, for whom the Cubs once held high hopes, was ailing much of last year and played only 87 games and hit a mere .222. His lifetime average is not much higher.

Fondy, who hit an even .300 last year, has squatter's rights on first base.

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and Jackson, who contributed 15 home runs in '52, is having his annual argument with Bill Serena at third. It appears now that Jackson will open the season there, with Serena on hand to fill in whenever Ransom tails off.

SAUER IS SET in left field, of course, and Baumholtz has right field all locked up, with Gene Hermanski to spell him occasionally. The Cubs still chuckle over the deal in which they got Sauer and Baumholtz from Cincinnati. They gave the Reds Harry Walker, now retired, and Peanuts Lowrey, who has since moved on.

There is also some debate as to whom Cavarretta will choose as the No. 1 catcher. The job may go to Toby Atwell, who batted a vigorous .290 last year and was named to the National League All-star team, but Toby doesn't throw very well and the Cubs' rivals did a lot of running on him.

The veteran Clyde McCullough, back from the Pittsburgh Pirates, wants a crack at the regular catching job and so does Carl Sawatski, back from the service. Sawatski spent the 1950 season at Nashville and just about tore down all the fences there, but there is some questions as to his catching ability.

CASING THE CUBS—If Hank Sauer keeps knocking down the fences and the Cubs can get protection in center and at short the Windy City team could make a bid for first division this year.

Golden Nugget Leads

Golden Nugget won two out of three games from Clingerman's Friday night at Frostburg as the playoff semi-finals opened in the Allegany County Women's Shuffleboard League. This best-of-nine game series will continue Tuesday night at Clingerman's.

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Art Lewis Of WVU Speaks Here Apr. 9

Art Lewis, head football coach at West Virginia University, will come to Cumberland Thursday, April 9 for a "get acquainted" program sponsored by the Potomac Chapter of the W. V. U. Alumni Association.

The time and the place for the "Mountaineer Night" affair will be announced later.

The program will give Lewis an opportunity to get acquainted with football coaches of Western Maryland and nearby West Virginia and Pennsylvania schools.

Movies of football games in which West Virginia University played last season will be shown.

Today's Selections

By The Associated Press
1—Psychic Dream, Lady Rounders, Blen-
2—Mom's Choice, Detective, Hot Footed.
3—Immortality, Galsig, Gay Scot.
4—Wise Scholar, So Mild, Westville Jack.
5—If Money, George Perry, Doctor Cliff.
6—Jasmothee, War Nimbus, Dark De-
7—Let Fleet, Circus Clown, Giggie.
8—Joann's Boots, Fresh Breeze, Sweet Sign.
BEST BET—Wise Scholar.

LINCOLN DOWNS

By The Associated Press
1—King Midas, Miss Lyric, Count Victor.
2—Tarom, Tricopa, Ten Per Cent.
3—Born To Win, Paddy Lane, Gotta-
4—That Ain't Hay, Teddies Imp, Blue Bar.
5—Make Sway, Jungle Feast, Here's Luck.
6—First One, Anthapacan, Annette.
7—High Head, Star Z, Happy Bound.
8—Boys Ace, Third Division, Barre Flint.
9—Foxlets, Blazing Silver, Sun Diver.
BEST BET—Foxlets.

GULFSTREAM PARK

By The Associated Press
1—Big Hoop, Clunk, Rev G.
2—Po Gal, Eternal Danger, Puff.
3—Bill's Captain, Arthur S., Lanark.
4—Didapper, Boomer, Nordic Son.
5—Count Easter, Round House, Hill Street.
6—Yeoman, Eli Cooke, To Challenge.
7—Let Fleet, Circus Clown, Giggie.
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Jody was with his dad in "Lone Hand" (he made a brief appearance) but he'll really have a good part in "Flame and the Arrow." Seems only yesterday Joel telephoned to tell me of the arrival of a baby son.

Lana Turner stopped exactly three hours in New York before catching a TWA plane for Paris yesterday. She'll make Paris her headquarters and has already rented a tres swank apartment. I hear it is the one formerly occupied by the Duke and Duchess of Windsor before they moved into their home.

Even when Lana starts "Flame

Keeping Up With Hollywood

by Louella Parsons

HOLLYWOOD, March 29 (INS).—The Magna Carta, written in 1215, designed to guarantee personal liberty and security for the oppressed, is the subject of a coming picture as big in scope as "Ivanhoe." This is Dore Schary's brain child, and he tells me that it will be made in England with all the pageantry that made "Ivanhoe" so outstanding.

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By S. D. ROCKWELL

MESA, Ariz. — Phil Cavarretta, the likeable skipper of the Chicago Cubs, hopes to steer his charges into the National league's first division this year. It wouldn't be much of a journey, for the Cubs finished fifth in the 1952 race.

But Cavarretta doesn't say "we will" reach the first division and "we should" make it because he knows what a difficult job lies ahead. Brooklyn, New York, St. Louis and Philadelphia are first-division minded, too, and on paper they look like better clubs.

"At least, we're setting the first division as our goal," Phil says. "It'll be tough, but there's a bare chance we can get up there."

The Bruins rose to fifth last season on power supplied by big Hank Sauer, who had the best year of his life, tying Ralph Kiner for the home run crown at 37 round trippers, winning the runs batted in title at 121 and walking off with the most valuable player award.

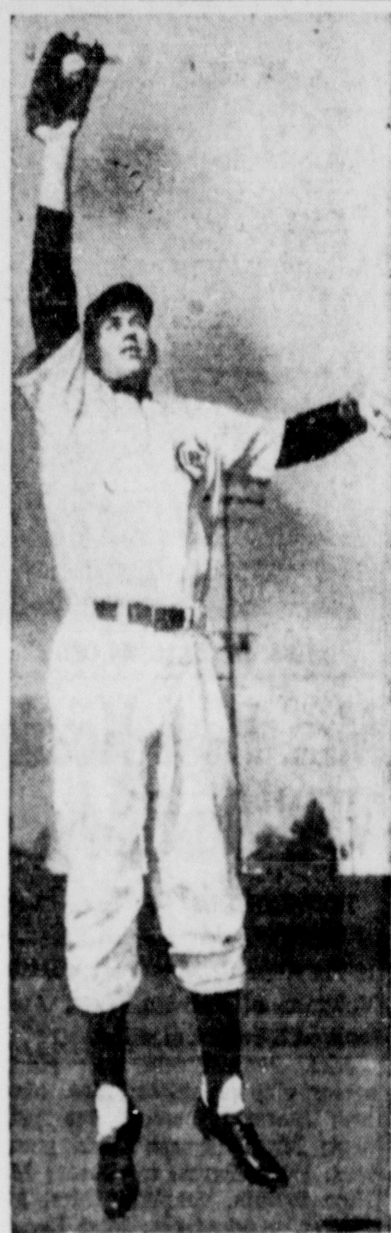
In order for the Cubs to keep going they must expect Sauer to keep hitting and this is a large order. He is now entering his 34th year and only two seasons ago he swatted the modest number of 30 home runs and drove in the relatively small number of 89 runs. He has to maintain his '52 pace if the Cubs hope to keep climbing.

OUTSIDE OF Sauer, the Cubs haven't much power to speak of. Frankie Baumholtz hits for a respectable average, but he doesn't clout the ball out of the park. Ransom Jackson hits an occasional home run and so does Dee Fondy, but they aren't consistent sluggers. Sauer presents the only real home run threat in the entire Chicago lineup.

Pitching is something else, though. Their staff, headed by Bob Rush and Warren Hacker, is a formidable unit and it gives every indication of being considerably stronger this year. Cavarretta feels that Rush, long on the verge of greatness, can become one of the National league's best fingers before the 1953 season reaches its climax.

"Bob looks great this spring," Phil says. "I've never seen him look better. His fast ball is something to behold, his curve is terrific and his control is very good."

Rush won 17 games last year and Cavarretta expects him to hit the 20-victory class this season. He also looks for Hacker to be as effective as he was last year and that was very effective, indeed. He held the best earned-run average



First Sacker Dee Fondy



Hitting, pitching stars: Hank Sauer (left) and Bob Rush



Outfielder Frank Baumholtz



Catcher Clyde McCullough

in the league until he made his last start and then he dropped slightly behind Hoyt Wilhelm of the New York Giants.

Cavarretta is also counting on much help from Southpaw Paul Minner, Johnny Klippstein, Bob Kelly and even some from Dutch Leonard, the grand old man of the National league who is still throwing his famed knuckle ball. Dutch passed 40 several years ago.

THE CUBS main problem is center field and shortstop. Cavarretta has been testing an ex-first baseman in center field and an outfielder at shortstop.

Hal Jeffcoat was the Cubs' center fielder last year and he was a fine defensive player, but he batted slightly more than .200. Therefore, Cavarretta has been experimenting with Preston Ward in center and the first results have been good. Ward, just out of the Army, runs well and throws well, but hasn't been very impressive at the plate. He has more power than Jeffcoat, however.

The Cubs were greatly disappointed in Roy Smalley last year and are now testing Tommy Brown at shortstop. Brown, an ex-Dodger, always has been a good hitter, but he has never found a home in the field, playing utility roles both in the infield and outfield. Early reports indicate that he has some aptitude for shortstop, but it is not yet known whether he has enough to replace Smalley.

The tall, agile Smalley, for whom the Cubs once held high hopes, was ailing much of last year and played only 87 games and hit a mere .222. His lifetime average is not much higher.

Fondy, who hit an even .300 last year, has squatter's rights on first base.

Gulfstream Park Entries

FIRST POST 1:45 P.M.
FIRST—\$2,500, claiming, 4 up, 1 1/8 m.
Blenio 113 xSassy Shirl 112
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xRough Candy 108 Bo Mowlee 118
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Moon Dash 117 Walter A. York 120
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Hannah L 110 Fresh Moon 101
xxAlice McNulty 106 xLair Perian 112
xxWestlake Jack 104 Ptery Var 115
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xLair 119 xLair 119
Steel Town 122 Hit Bit 122
xDavid R 117 George Perry 122
Blue Beam 122 xKenny Jack 120
Doctor Cliff 122 All Thumbs 117
xxLucky Passes 112 xQuestion Five 117
SIXTH—\$5,000, allowances, 3-y, 6 f.
xDark Destroyer 105 War Nimbus 110
Becky's Shirl 119
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March Chick 116 xJoanna's Boots 116
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xSmarty Jacque 111 Strike 114
xSweet Sigrid 118 xJoanna's Boots 116
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Tonight's finalists met on the opening day of the season, November 15, and Calvary was returned the winner by the score of 35-24. St. Matthew's never has won a championship in the league while Calvary copped the title in 1947.

Grace Methodist, eight times winner over the past 24 seasons, and Centre Street, winner of the championship on three occasions, will tangle in tonight's opening game at 7 o'clock for consolation honors.

Members of the squads that will meet in the championship game are:

CALVARY METHODIST — Donald Wolford, George Flanagan, Jack Spangler, Mike Dietrick, George Earnest, Richard Bobo, Franklin Taylor, Paul Puffenberger, Gary Barker, Robert Scott, Michael Zollner, Marshall Snyder, Wilbur Thrasher, David Baker, Leon Hammond and Ed Justice.

ST. MATTHEW'S — Howard Blank, David Davis, Ronald Gillum, James Sisk, Ralph Clark, Richard Blank, Gary Gillum, Edward Greene, Jerry Tierney and Glenn Kight.

Worst And Matsuyama Score Billiard Wins

CHICAGO, March 29 (INS). — Harold Worst of Grand Rapids, Mich., vanquished Joe Procieta, of Gloversville, N. Y., today, 50 to 39, in 39 innings in a match in the world's three-cushion billiards championship at Chicago's town club.

In an earlier match, Kinrey Matsuyama of Japan beat Mel Lundberg of Minneapolis, Minn., 50 to 21, in 54 innings.

Matsuyama, Harold Worst and John Fitzpatrick of Hollywood, Calif., now are the only unbeaten players in the tournament. Each has won two matches and lost none.

Marauding Dogs Menace Wildlife; Owners Warned

Marauding dogs have been playing havoc with domestic stock and wildlife in rural areas during the past several weeks, according to complaints received by game wardens.

A few deer have been found killed and during the past week after game wardens released a number of wild turkey hens on some of the mountain ranges two were reported killed by wild dogs.

Persons owning dogs that are running at large are warned to pen up or tie their animals as prompt action must be taken to protect both the wildlife and domestic stock.

The Maryland game law forbids dog owners to permit their dogs to run at large and pursue game or any protected bird or animal. Any dog running at large and pursuing wild birds and animals must be considered a public nuisance.

Saturday Sports In Brief

LOS ANGELES — Jim Thorpe, the famed Carlisle Indian and one of history's greatest all-around athletes, died at 64 of a heart attack.

HERSHEY, Pa. — World Champion Tenley Albright, Boston, Mass., won the United States women's championship.

LONDON — Harvard scored an eight-length victory over Oxford in the 99th race between the crews on the Thames River.

AUSTIN, Texas — Kansas bettered the American four-mile relay mark by 2.1 seconds, covering the distance in 17:14.0 as Wes Santee ran a 4:06.7 anchor leg.

CHICAGO — L. Ken Wiesner, Great Lakes, Ill., topped his own world indoor high jump record with a leap of 6 feet 10 1/2 inches in the Chicago Relays.

COLUMBUS, O. — Swimming: Yale State College, Pa. — Wrestling: Penn State.

PHILADELPHIA — Fencing: Pennsylvania.

SYRACUSE, N. Y. — Gymnastics: Penn State.

RAVENS — Early Mist, an Irish gelding, won the 10th running of the Grand National at Aintree.

BOWIE, Md. — Tuscany (\$460) captured the \$11,320 Roe Memorial Handicap at Bowie.



Alva Bradley, Former Tribe Owner, Dies

Sold Cleveland Club To Veck In 1946

DELRAY BEACH, Fla., March 29 (AP) — Alva Bradley, owner of the Cleveland Indians for nearly 20 years until he sold out to Bill Veck in 1946, died today while reading the morning newspaper.

The 69-year-old Bradley, whose greatest feat in baseball was the acquisition of one of the game's most sensational pitchers, Bob Feller, slumped over in his chair of a heart attack at his vacation apartment here.

He had been in excellent health, and had expected to return to Cleveland tomorrow with his wife after spending a month here at Delray. She was with him when he died.

The owner of a large number of downtown Cleveland properties, Bradley purchased the Cleveland Indians in Nov. 1927, from Mrs. James C. Dun. They never won a pennant for him but were in the first division 13 times.

Girls' Cage Tourney Will Open Tonight

Rec League Sponsors Contests At Allegany

Six teams are scheduled to swing into action tonight in the opening round of the girls' basketball tournament sponsored by the City Recreation Department.

Allegany High School will be the scene of action of the tourney in which seven teams will participate. Robert E. Pence, director of the City Recreation Department, last night at the opening game at 6:30 o'clock Ridgeley will play the Hopewells.

Bonnie Humphreys, physical ed instructor at Ridgeley High, is coach of the Ridgeley sextet.

At 7:30 Sisk's Sizzlers, coached by Jeanne Hale and Beverly Bruce, will oppose the Frostburg Freshmen from State Teachers College.

In the 8:30 contest, the Frostburg State Juniors will face Coach Jeannette Leasure's Ursuline Academy team.

The other team entered in the tourney is the Has Beens, composed of former members of the YMCA Business Girls team.

Sessions will be held Tuesday and Wednesday.

Referees are Annabelle Leatherman, Pat Thompson and Joanne Dickel.

All Hallows Wins Newport Cage Tourney

NEWPORT, R. I., March 29 (AP) — All Hallows High of New York, led by Bob McNamara, defeated West Catholic High of Philadelphia, 63-62, in overtime last night to win the 16th annual Eastern States Catholic Invitation Basketball Tournament.

McNamara, who topped All Hallows scorers with 22 points, tapped in two rebounds in the overtime session after the game was deadlocked 59-59 at the end of regulation time.

In consolation games, La Salle High of New York outclassed St. John's of Washington, D. C., 75-57, and St. Lucy's High of Syracuse, N. Y., defeated Mission High of Boston, 46-40.

Martin Quint Wins

NEW YORK, March 29 (INS) — The Glenn L. Martin Co., of Baltimore won the Eastern States Industrial Recreation Association Men's Basketball Championship today by beating the U. S. Post Office of Philadelphia, 80 to 67, in the final game of a two-day tournament.

Both clubs collected 10 hits, including three by the Phil's Richie Ashburn who drove in three runs.

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Byrd and Murray; Ridzik, Greenwood (8) and Lopata.

Valo Hits Two Homers

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 29 (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies defeated their American League inter-city rivals, the Philadelphia Athletics, 10-6 today, despite two homers by the A's Elmer Valo.

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Exhibition Baseball

Podres And Black Blank Yankees, 1-0

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 29 (AP) — In a renewal of their World Series strife, the Brooklyn Dodgers nipped the New York Yankees 1-0, today.

Johnny Podres, 20-year old left-hander who is still on the Dodgers' Montreal farm club roster, combined with Joe Black for the shut-out. Podres held the champions to four hits in six frames and Black allowed one hit in three innings.

Jim McDonald, hurled the first complete game of the training season for the New Yorkers. He held the Brooks to four hits, two of them by George Shuba.

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Podres, Black (7) and Campanella; McDonald and Silvera.

Jackie Jensen Stars

ORLANDO, Fla., March 29 (AP) — Washington splurged for six runs in the first inning against Ernie Johnson and defeated the Milwaukee Braves, 10-7, today.

Jackie Jensen, batting .407 in 18 exhibition games, led the Senators' 14-hit attack with a home run and two singles.

Milwaukee 200 201 020 — 7 13 2 Washington 010 300 000 — 10 14 0

Johnson, Donovan (4), Jester (6) and Cooper, St. Claire (6); Sims, Dixon (6) and Peden.

Reds Blow Up, Lose 9-5

TAMPA, Fla., March 29 (AP) — Aided by four bush league errors, the St. Louis Cardinals experienced little trouble in defeating Cincinnati here today, 9-5.

Enos Slaughter and Stan Musial homered for the Cards as they downed the Reds for the third straight time in grapefruit league competition. Rookie Jim Green-grass hit a two-run homer for the Reds.

he Cardinals lathered Harry Perkowski, Clyde King, Frank Smith and Rookie Cliff Ross for 16 assorted hits, while the Reds collected nine off Harvey Haddix and Dick Bokelmann.

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Haddix, Bokelmann (7) and D. Rice, Fusselman (7); Perkowski, King (5), Smith (7), Ross (8), and Seminick.

Tigers Blast Bosox

SARASOTA, Fla., March 29 (AP) — The Detroit Tigers assaulted Willard Nixon for six runs in two innings and coasted to an 11-7 victory over the Boston Red Sox today.

Del Wilber continued his heavy hitting with a homer and a three-bagger to account for the Sox' first two runs.

This was Boston's 11th loss in 20 grapefruit league encounters and the 11th victory against five defeats for Detroit.

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Hoeft, Lary (4), Foytack (8) and Bucha; Nixon, Kemmerer (3), Hudson (8) Wilber.

Tribe Drubs Giants

PHOENIX Ariz., March 29 (AP) — The Cleveland Indians drubbed the New York Giants, 15-3, today to close out the Arizona phase of the training grind for both clubs.

They boarded a train immediately after the game for their annual two-week journey eastward to gether.

Homers by Luke Easter and Jim Hegan paced a savage 17-hit Cleveland attack.

The defeat was the fifth in a row for New York.

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Hoskins, Aber (6) and Hegan; Corwin, Wilhelm (4), Gomez (8); Spencer (8) and Westrum, Noble (7).

Cubs Win Easily

CASA GRANDE, Ariz., March 29 (AP) — The Chicago Cubs today gave the Cotton Kings, a semi-pro club, a two-run homer in the first inning, then blasted out a 23-2 victory.

The game was called at the end of seven innings because of the one-sided score and a heavy dust storm.

Bud McBryde of the Kings knocked out a homer with a man on base in the first inning off Cub Starter Paul Minner. That was the only hit the Kings got off Minner and Fred Baczewski, who relieved in the fourth.

Ransom Jackson drove in eight runs for the Cubs with a homer, triple, double and single. Other roundtrippers were hit by Paul Schramka, Carl Sawatski, Bill Serena and Preston Ward.

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Minner, Baczewski (4) and Sawatski; Cantrell, Younger (4) and Hogan.

Trotters Win, 70-62

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP) — The Harlem Globetrotters opened their fourth annual coast-to-coast tour with the College Basketball All-Stars today with a 70-62 victory at Madison Square Garden.

The Trotters, basketball No. 1 box office attraction drew 18,471 fans to the game. The tour, billed as the "World Series of Basketball" will take the teams into 19 cities in the next three weeks.

Thorpe's Death Brings Words Of Sorrow, Tribute

Family And Friends Make Funeral Plans

LOS ANGELES, March 29 (AP) — The family and friends today faced the sad task of making funeral arrangements for stalwart Jim Thorpe, the Oklahoma Indian who became a veritable colossus in the world of athletics.

Thorpe, 64, died of a heart attack yesterday in his modest trailer in suburban Lomita where he lived with his wife, Patricia. The friendly six-footer, classified by sports writers as an all-time All-American football player, collapsed while eating dinner.

During lengthy resuscitation efforts he revived briefly but then relapsed and died.

The news of his death brought words of sorrow and tribute from throughout the nation. Men who played with him and writers who knew him used such words as "incomparable" and "greatest athlete of all times." One sports writer who knew him in his later years described him as "a heck of a nice guy who didn't have an enemy."

Then as a fitting climax to a glorious season the Champs defeated the Keyser Collegians in a best-of-five series for district honors. Keyser copped the first and third games, 31-22 and 28-23, on its home court. "Coney took the second and fourth tilts, 54-31 and 45-27, at the Firemen's Armory. Before a packed house at Lonaconing, the Champs won the deciding battle, 51-38. A special train on the C&P Railroad was chartered by Keyser fans for the contest.

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Lonaconing earned the title "Champs" in 1915 by beating the best pro teams in the state, including Baltimore. And in 1916 they were just as formidable, scoring four straight wins over the Cumberland YMCA, and whipping the Cumberland K.O.G., Mt. Savage, Oakland, Uniontown, Pittsburgh Collegians, Hollidaysburg, St. John's College of Annapolis, twice, and the powerful Juniata College team.

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In one of the most dramatic finishes of the winter tour, Stewart, who finished two threesomes ahead of the others, watched them come to the final hole, each needing only a par five in the 495-yard 18th hole to tie him.

Snead, the leader through the first two rounds was 25 feet by the pin with his third shot. He just missed his long putt and settled for his five.

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Tonight's finalists met on the opening day of the season, November 15, and Calvary was returned the winner by the score of 35-24. St. Matthew's never has won a championship in the league while Calvary copped the title in 1947.

Grace Methodist, eight times winner over the past 24 seasons, and Centre Street, winner of the championship on three occasions, will tangle in tonight's opening game at 7 o'clock for consolation honors.

Members of the squads that will meet in the championship game are:

CALVARY METHODIST — Donald Wolford, George Flanagan, Jack Spangler, Mike Detrick, George Earnest, Richard Bobo, Franklin Taylor, Paul Puffenberger, Gary Barker, Robert Scott, Michael Zollner, Marshall Snyder, Wilbur Thrasher, David Baker, Leon Hammond and Ed Justice.

ST. MATTHEW'S — Howard Blank, David Davis, Ronald Gilman, James Sisk, Ralph Clark, Richard Blank, Gary Gillum, Edward Greene, Jerry Tierney and Glenn Kight.

Worst And Matsuyama Score Billiard Wins

CHICAGO, March 29 (INS) — Harold Worst of Grand Rapids, Mich., vanquished Joe Procita, of Grovesville, N. Y., today, 50 to 29, in 39 innings in a match in the world's three-cushion billiards championship at Chicago's town club.

In an earlier match, Kinrey Matsuyama of Japan beat Mel Lundberg of Minneapolis, Minn., 50 to 21, in 54 innings.

Matsuyama, Harold Worst and John Fitzpatrick of Hollywood, Calif., now are the only unbeaten players in the tournament. Each has won two matches and lost none.

Marauding Dogs Menace Wildlife; Owners Warned

Marauding dogs have been playing havoc with domestic stock and wildlife in rural areas during the past several weeks, according to complaints received by game wardens.

A few deer have been found killed and during the past week after game wardens released a number of wild turkey hens on some of the mountain ranges two were reported killed by wild dogs.

Persons owning dogs that are running at large are warned to pen up or tie their animals as prompt action must be taken to protect both the wildlife and domestic stock.

The Maryland game law forbids dog owners to permit their dogs to run at large and pursue game or any protected bird or animal. Any dog running at large and pursuing wild birds and animals must be considered a public nuisance.

Saturday Sports In Brief

(By The Associated Press)

GENERAL — Los Angeles — Jim Thorpe, the famed Carlisle Indian and one of history's greatest all-around athletes, died at 64 of a heart attack.

FIGURE SKATING — HERSHEY, Pa. — World Champion Tenley Albright, Boston, Mass., won the United States women's championship.

ROWING — LONDON — Harvard scored an eight-length victory over Oxford in the 20th race between the crews on the Thames River.

TRACK — AUSTIN, Texas — Kansas bettered the American four-mile relay mark by 2.1 seconds, covering the distance in 17:14.4.

CHICAGO — L. Ken Wiesner, Great Lakes, Ill., topped his own world indoor high jump record with a leap of 6 feet 10 1/2 inches in the Chicago Relays.

NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS — COLUMBUS, O. — Swimming: Yale.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. — Wrestling: Penn State.

VALLEY — VALLEY, Pa. — Fencing: Pennsylvania.

YACHTING — YACHTING — N. Y. — Gymnastics: Penn State.

RACING — Aintree, England — Early Mist, an Irish gelding, won the 10th running of the Grand National at Aintree.

BOWLING — BOWLING — Md. — Tuckers, 94-60, captured the \$11,320 Rose Memorial at Annapolis.



Alva Bradley, Former Tribe Owner, Dies

Sold Cleveland Club To Veck In 1946

DELRAY BEACH, Fla., March 29 (AP) — Alva Bradley, owner of the Cleveland Indians for nearly 20 years until he sold out to Bill Veck in 1946, died today while reading the morning newspaper.

The 69-year-old Bradley, whose greatest feat in baseball was the acquisition of one of the game's most sensational pitchers, Bob Feller, slumped over in his chair of a heart attack at his vacation apartment here.

He had been in excellent health, and had expected to return to Cleveland tomorrow with his wife after spending a month here at Delray. She was with him when he died.

The owner of a large number of downtown Cleveland properties, Bradley purchased the Cleveland Indians in Nov. 1927, from Mrs. James C. Dun. They never won a pennant for him but were in the first division 13 times.

Girls' Cage Tourny Will Open Tonight

Rec League Sponsors Contests At Allegany

Six teams are scheduled to swing into action tonight in the opening round of the girls' basketball tournament sponsored by the City Recreation Department.

Allegany High School will be the scene of action of the tourney in which seven teams will participate. Robert E. Pence, director of the City Recreation Department, last night that in the opening game at 6:30 o'clock Ridgeley will play the Hopefuls.

Bonnie Humphreys, physical ed instructor at Ridgeley High, is coach of the Ridgeley sextet.

At 7:30 Sisk's Sizzlers, coached by Jeanne Hale and Beverly Bruce, will oppose the Frostburg Freshmen from State Teachers College.

In the 8:30 contest, the Frostburg State Juniors will face Coach Jeannette Leasure's Ursuline Academy team.

The other team entered in the tourney is the Has Beens, composed of former members of the YMCA Business Girls team.

Sessions will be held Tuesday and Wednesday.

Referees are Annabelle Leatherman, Pat Thompson and Joanne Dickel.

All Hallows Wins Newport Cage Tourny

NEWPORT, R. I., March 29 (AP) — All Hallows High of New York, led by Bob McNamara, defeated West Catholic High of Philadelphia, 63-62, in overtime last night to win the 16th annual Eastern States Catholic Invitation Basketball Tournament.

McNamara, who topped All Hallows scorers with 22 points, tapped in two rebounds in the overtime session after the game was deadlocked 59-59 at the end of regulation time.

In consolation games, La Salle High of New York outlasted St. John's of Washington, D. C., 75-57, and St. Lucy's High of Syracuse, N.Y., defeated Mission High of Boston, 46-40.

Martin Quint Wins

NEW YORK, March 29 (INS) — The Glenn L. Martin Co., of Baltimore, won the Eastern States Industrial Recreation Association Men's Basketball Championship today by beating the U. S. Post Office of Philadelphia, 80 to 67, in the final game of a two-day tournament.

Valo Hits Two Homers

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 29 (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies defeated their American League inter-city rivals, the Philadelphia Athletics, 10-6 today, despite two homers by the A's' Elmer Valo.

Both clubs collected 10 hits, including three by the Phils' Richie Ashburn who drove in three runs. Phil's (A) 400 000 001 — 6 10 3 Phil's (N) 401 200 03x — 10 10 2

Byrd and Murray; Ridzik, Greenwood (8) and Lopata.

Exhibition Baseball

Podres And Black Blank Yankees, 1-0

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 29 (AP) — In a renewal of their World Series strife, the Brooklyn Dodgers nipped the New York Yankees 1-0, today.

Johnny Podres, 20-year old left-hander who is still on the Dodgers' Montreal farm club roster, combined with Joe Black for the shut-out. Podres held the champions to four hits in six frames and Black allowed one hit in three innings.

Jim McDonald, hurled the first complete game of the training season for the New Yorkers. He held the Brooks to four hits, two of them by George Shuba.

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Podres, Black (7) and Campanella; McDonald and Silvera.

Jackie Jensen Stars

ORLANDO, Fla., March 29 (AP) — Washington splurged for six runs in the first inning against Ernie Johnson and defeated the Milwaukee Braves, 10-7, today.

Jackie Jensen, batting .407 in 18 exhibition games, led the Senators' 14-hit attack with a home run and two singles.

Milwaukee 200 201 020 — 7 13 2 Washington 610 300 000 — 10 14 0 Johnson, Donovan (4), Jester (6) and Cooper, St. Claire (6); Sina, Dixon (6) and Peden.

Reds Blow Up, Lose 9-5

TAMPA, Fla., March 29 (AP) — Aided by four bush league errors, the St. Louis Cardinals experienced little trouble in defeating Cincinnati here today, 9-5.

Enos Slaughter and Stan Musial homered for the Cards as they downed the Reds for the third straight time in grapefruit league competition. Rookie Jim Greengrass hit a two-run homer for the Reds.

he Cardinals lathered Harry Perkowski, Clyde King, Frank Smith and Rookie Cliff Ross for 16 assorted hits, while the Reds collected nine off Harvey Haddix and Dick Bokelmann.

St. Louis (N) 041 112 000 — 9 16 0 Cincinnati 010 201 001 — 5 9 4 Haddix, Bokelmann (7) and D. Rice, Fusselman (7); Perkowski, King (5), Smith (7), Ross (8), and Seminick.

Tigers Blast Bosox

SARASOTA, Fla., March 29 (AP) — The Detroit Tigers assaulted Wilbur Nixon for six runs in two innings and coasted to an 11-7 victory over the Boston Red Sox today.

Del Wilber continued his heavy hitting with a homer and a three-bagger to account for the Sox' first two runs.

This was Boston's 11th loss in 20 grapefruit league encounters and the 11th victory against five defeats for Detroit.

Detroit 420 210 002 — 11 11 0 Boston 010 200 103 — 7 13 3

Hoeft, Lary (4), Foytack (8) and Bucha; Nixon, Kemmerer (3), Hudson (8) Wilber.

Tribe Drubs Giants

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 29 (AP) — The Cleveland Indians drubbed the New York Giants, 15-3, today to close out the Arizona phase of the training grind for both clubs.

They boarded a train immediately after the game for their annual two-week journey eastward to gether.

Homers by Luke Easter and Jim Hegan paced a savage 17-hit Cleveland attack.

The defeat was the fifth in a row for New York.

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Hoskins, Aber (6) and Hegan; Corwin, Wilhelm (4), Gomez (8), Spencer (8) and Westrum, Noble (7).

Cubs Win Easily

CASA GRANDE, Ariz., March 29 (AP) — The Chicago Cubs today gave the Cotton Kings, a semi-pro club, a two-run homer in the first inning, then blasted out a 23-2 victory.

The game was called at the end of seven innings because of the one-sided score and a heavy dust storm.

Bud McBryde of the Kings knocked out a homer with a cub on base in the first inning off Cub Starter Paul Minner. That was the only hit the Kings got off Minner and Fred Baczewski, who relieved in the fourth.

Ransom Jackson drove in eight runs for the Cubs with a homer, triple, double and single. Other roundtrippers were hit by Paul Schramka, Carl Sawatski, Bill Serena and Preston Ward.

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Minner, Baczewski (4) and Sawatski; Cantrell, Younger (4) and Hogan.

Trotters Win, 70-62

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP) — The Harlem Globetrotters opened their fourth annual coast-to-coast tour with the College Basketball All-Stars today with a 70-62 victory at Madison Square Garden.

The Trotters, basketball's No. 1 box office attraction drew 18,471 fans to the game. The tour, billed as the "World Series of Basketball" will take the teams into 19 cities in the next three weeks.

Thorpe's Death Brings Words Of Sorrow, Tribute

Family And Friends Make Funeral Plans

LOS ANGELES, March 29 (AP) — The family and friends today faced the sad task of making funeral arrangements for stalwart Jim Thorpe, the Oklahoma Indian who became a veritable colossus in the world of athletics.

Thorpe, 64, died of a heart attack yesterday in his modest trailer in suburban Lomita where he lived with his wife, Patricia. The friendly six-footer, classified by sports writers as an all-time All-American football player, collapsed while eating dinner.

During lengthy resuscitation efforts he revived briefly but then relapsed and died.

The news of his death brought words of sorrow and tribute from throughout the nation. Men who played with him and writers who knew him used such words as "incomparable" and "greatest athlete of all times." One sports writer who knew him in his later years described him as "a heck of a nice guy who didn't have an enemy."

Voted Best In 50 Years

After the glory years for Jim at the early part of the century there were some hard years. Several years ago he was discovered digging ditches. He died in modest circumstances. But some of the glory returned three years ago when sports writers and broadcasters of the United States, in an Associated Press poll, voted him the outstanding male athlete of the first half of the 20th century.

In this poll he ran far ahead of Babe Ruth, Jack Dempsey, Ty Cobb, Bobby Jones and Joe Louis.

It has been more than 40 years since Thorpe, born on a farm near Prague, Okla., gained his first fame at Carlisle Indian School. Playing with this little school, usually outmanned and outweighted in games against big Eastern colleges, he scored 25 touchdowns and racked up a 198 point total in 1912.

It was in that same year that he won both the pentathlon and decathlon at the Olympic Games in Stockholm.

But later his medals and trophies of the games were taken from him because it was discovered that he had violated the strict Olympic amateur code by playing professional baseball for \$60 a month.

Made All-America Twice

He made Walter Camp's All-American Football Team in 1911 and 1912. Then he played professional football and baseball for 16 years. He also starred in basketball at Carlisle.

In 1931 it was disclosed that Thorpe, sick and broke, was a charity case in a Philadelphia hospital. He underwent surgery for removal of a lip cancer.

After that various movements were started to aid him. Baseball raised a fund for him. And he got some compensation when a biographical movie, "Jim Thorpe, All-American," was produced.

Friends said that at the time of his death he had an interest in a restaurant in nearby Wilmington in the harbor area.

Charles Town Mutuel Handle Is \$8,270,019

Charles Town's race track concluded its 25-day meeting Saturday with a mutuel handle of \$8,270,019. Wagering on the final day was \$382,193.

Total attendance for the 25 days was 136,372.

Chisox, Browns Split

TUCSON, Ariz., March 29 (AP) — The St. Louis Browns rallied for three runs in the ninth inning to defeat the Chicago White Sox 6-4 in the first game of a doubleheader today and then bowed to an old teammate, Tommy Byrne, in a seven-inning nightcap 5-3.

Byrne limited the Browns to six hits in the abbreviated second game. Willie Miranda of the Browns and Bob Boyd of the White Sox each hit a home run and drove in two runs.

Bobby Young's triple climaxed the ninth-inning rally for the Brown in the opener.

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(Second Game) Chicago (A) 202 001 0 — 5 12 1 St. Louis (A) 110 001 0 — 3 6 1

Byrne and Sheeley; Pillette, Littlefield (5), Taylor (7) and Moss.

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As You WERE

(This is the 100th in a series of sketches with pictures of well known sport personalities of the past from the album of the Cumberland News Sports Editor. See if you can identify them by their photo.)

Turn back the pages of Allegany county sports history about 35 years and you'll find that this newspaper editor was tops as a pro basketball player.

The toast of basketball fans in the tri-state area at that time was the Lonaconing Champ and this 6-foot-8 center was one of the main cogs in that great court aggregation of yesterday.

Lonaconing earned the title "Champs" in 1915 by beating the best pro teams in the state, including Baltimore. And in 1916 they were just as formidable, scoring four straight wins over the Cumberland YMCA, and whipping the Cumberland K.O.G., Mt. Savage, Oakland, Uniontown, Pittsburgh Collegians, Hollidaysburg, St. John's College of Annapolis, twice, and the powerful Juniata College team.

Then as a fitting climax to a glorious season the Champs defeated the Keyser Collegians in a best-of-five series for district honors. Keyser copped the first and third games, 31-22 and 28-23, on its home court. "Coney took the second and fourth tilts, 54-31 and 45-27, at the Firemen's Armory. Before a packed house at Lonaconing, the Champs won the deciding battle, 51-38. A special train on the C&P Railroad was chartered by Keyser fans for the contest.

Other players on the 1916 "Coney" squad were Leo Clark, Winfred "Mac" McKenty, Johnny Stafford, Pete Pell, Jack Stewart, Marty Flynn and Marquis Major. Cecil Miller managed the club. The Keyser team, managed by Paul Davis, included Greenwade, Baughman, Montgomery, Loudon and Carter.

A native of Lonaconing, the tall ballhawk pictured here was the son of a mining company official and he was editor of the Lonaconing Advocate, a weekly newspaper, at the time he played with the Champs.

Can you name the outstanding athlete shown here?

He was with the Lonaconing Champs. Spear was taken in 1916 when he was a student at the Lonaconing School at Carlisle, Pa. The photo was formerly in newspaper work. He is William "Wig" Spear.

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New Sponsor Gets Team

All players of last year's Spots softball team of the Men's City Recreation League and players seeking tryouts will meet tonight at 7:30 at the Dairy Workers Hall, North Centre and Valley streets. A new sponsor will be announced. Refreshments will be served.

Moose Tossers Meet

The Moose softball team will hold a meeting Tuesday at 7 p. m. at the Moose Home. Holdovers from last year's team and others desiring tryouts are requested to attend.

Niland, Kern Given Honorable Mention

Bobby Niland, Piedmont High School forward, and Pat Kern, center of Moorefield High School's Yellow Jackets, have been accorded "honorable mention" in the Official All-West Virginia Basketball Selections for the 1953 season.

Others on the long list of "honorable mentions" are Don Netoskie, of Martinsburg High and Yurish, of St. Joseph's High, Martinsburg.

Three teams were named. Phares, Elkins High center, made the second team, and Knotts of Grafton, appears on the third team.

The first team is composed of Price, South Charleston; Winger and Collier, Beckley; King, Parkersburg; O'Brien, Benwood; Hundley, Charleston; Kishbaugh, Clarksburg R-W, and Barnett, Chattooy.

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Paige, Brecheen (5), Held (9) and Courtney, Moss (9); Keegan, Johnson (6) and R. Wilson

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Snead, Stewart, Ford, Wall Tied In \$10,000 Test

Post 5-Under-Par 275s, Playoff Is Set Today

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 29 (AP) — The \$10,000 Greensboro Open Golf Tournament ended in a four-way tie for top money of \$2,000 today with Sam Snead, Doug Ford, Art Wall and Earl Stewart Jr. tied at 275, five under par. They will meet tomorrow afternoon in an 18-hole playoff for the top four money awards.

In one of the most dramatic finishes of the winter tour, Stewart, who finished two threesomes ahead of the others, watched them come to the final hole, each needing only a par five in the 495-yard 18th hole to tie him.

Snead, the leader through the first two rounds was 25 feet by the pin with his third shot. He just missed his long putt and settled for his five.

Then Wall, who had been in a bunker to the left and blasted out to 12 feet of the cup, just missed his birdie try, but was in for a tie.

Ford muffs chance. It all rested on the broad shoulders of Ford. He had blasted out of a trap to the right and was 11 feet from the hole. If he dropped the putt the tournament was his. But the ball just slipped past the hole, a matter of an inch to the right.

The surprise finish was made possible when Snead, who appeared to have a lock on his fifth Greensboro victory, soared to a three over par morning 73. Sammy, the White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., veteran was two shots ahead of Porky Oliver starting the last 36 holes with his 133 total. Ford was third at 136.

When they finished the morning round Ford and Wall were tied for the 54-hole lead at 205 and Snead third at 206. Stewart was another shot back.

Riegel Wins \$700

Skee Riegel, former National Amateur champion from Tulsa, Okla., finished with 278 for fifth money of \$700. Oliver dropped to sixth place with 279, good for \$600. U. S. Open Champion Julius Boros of Southern Pines, N. C., had a pair of 69s for seventh money of \$320. Low amateur with 281 was Frank Stranahan, Toledo, Ohio.

Men's Shuffleboard League Playoffs To Open Tuesday Night

Playoffs in the Allegany County Men's Shuffleboard League will get under way Tuesday night when the Cumberland Amvets and Cumberland V.F.W. meet at the latter's home and Stadium Inn of Frostburg visits the Purple Heart Club. Both matches are scheduled to start at 8:30 o'clock.

Thursday night the V.F.W. plays at the Amvets Home and Stadium Inn plays host to the Purple Heart Club.

The six-game semi-final series will be determined on the total points scored by each team. Finals will get under way next week.

The Amvets wound up the regular season in first place with a 59-19 record. Purple Heart Club was runner-up with 58-20 followed by V.F.W. 57-21 and Stadium Inn 55-23.

Bartzen Cops Title

CANNES, France, March 29 (AP) — Bernard Bartzen of the United States defeated Sven Davidson of Sweden, 6-2, 6-4, 7-5, to win the men's singles championship in the Cannes, Tennis Tournament today.

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Bender's 174 Average Tops Cities Service Dux League

John Bender of McIntyre's led the pin splitters of the Cities Service Dux League for the 1952-53 season with high average of 174.43.

He participated in 63 games and topped a total of 10,831 maples. Tom McGeady of the First National Bank was the runner-up with an

Radio And Television

by John Crosby

Science Marches On

This is not fundamentally a technical column but I feel duty bound to call attention to the more important scientific advances that come to my attention. Leading the list at the moment is the invention that came out of the University of Illinois of a time compressor which, its inventors say, can chop "The Minute Waltz" down to 45 seconds.

I knew someone would get around to this eventually. Everything else has been compressed and speeded up. But "The Minute Waltz" has been dragging its feet for some century and a quarter now and it's high time someone did something about it. I'm a busy man. I can't go hanging around while Chopin dawdles through a whole minute. There's all sorts of vistas opened up by this time compressor. I'd like to attach it to the telephone when certain lady press agents are on the wire with their little pleas.

I can think of a good many radio shows that could be profitably shrunk by this wondrous device. We could start with the after-midnight disk jockeys, those after-hour philosophers who take an unequivocal stand on motherhood, the man-eating shark and similar matters at such great length. Barry Gray alone could be boiled down from three hours to about 20 minutes and the wisdom of the universe, I feel strongly, wouldn't diminish by an eyelash.

The only thing I haven't quite figured out is what to do with all that left-over time. Two hours and forty minutes of saved Barry Gray time could turn into quite a social problem, increasing my drinking habits and undermining my health. I haven't even managed to figure what to do with those fifteen seconds I'll be saving on "The Minute Waltz." Squander them on a boiled down version of "Chattanooga Choo Choo," I expect.

One of the more notable scientific achievements has been made by Mr. John D. Kenderline of Holtwood, Pa., who has finally put Arthur Godfrey to profitable use, something that has defied the efforts of our best thinkers for years. Mr. Kenderline writes: "For years the birds had stripped our cherry trees before we had a chance. We hung strips of tin that

tinkled, iron bars that clanked, hunks of colored cloth that flapped—each good for an hour, then the deluge.

"Last year as the critical day approached we strung a line from the house and placed a radio on a box under the trees. Then we tuned in Arthur Godfrey. That did it. Now we have a shelf-full of cherry preserves." Bravo, Arthur! Another discovery is of a more delicate nature. Water engineers have known for years that there was a definite correlation between radio and television listening and water pressure. To put it bluntly, it takes eight gallons of water to flush a toilet. Water pressures dip sharply, it was found, during commercials or between shows. In Chicago for example "Tide" magazine reports that during the extra long commercials in the middle of their late at night movies the audience—virtually en masse—left the living room for the bathroom.

So Albert Sidelinger, the research man, "always a fast man with a trend," reports "Tide," "has done the obvious thing. He has applied to the U. S. Patent Office for a device which can be attached to the flushing mechanism in the bathroom connected in some way to the Radox and soon he expects he will be able to sit in one central spot and tell just what percent of his sample at any given time is using the toilet." Just what Sidelinger plans to do with that information, I couldn't say.

The other great technical stride of the moment is the Souper Noodle Oscillator, a device invented by a couple harassed soundmen for Space adventures. Space adventure scripts are likely to call for the sounds of beetles the size of human beings. The oscillator filters the base or treble out of sounds, amplifies it or provides echoes. For those man-size bats, the soundmen dug up a record of a woman screaming, speeded it up from 78 to 110 revolutions a minute, producing a screech that scared the hell out of both of them.

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A.M.	WTBO 1450 KC	WUCM 1490 KC FM 102.5 MC	WDYK 1530 KC
6:00	News, Musical Clock	6:29 Sign On	News, Russ Ward Show
6:15	" "	Sundial	News: " "
6:30	" "	" "	" "
6:45	" "	" "	" "
7:00	News	News: Sundial	Russ Ward Show
7:15	Musical Clock	News: Sundial	Russ Ward Show
7:30	Your News Reporter	Jimmy Carroll: " "	" "
7:45	Musical Clock	" "	" "
8:00	World News (NBC)	World News (CBS)	Russ Ward Show
8:15	Gold Crown Time	Sundial	" "
8:30	Sports	" "	" "
8:45	Morning Meditations	" "	B. Crocker; G. Heatter
9:00	News, Morning Special	News of America (CBS)	Breakfast Club (ABC)
9:15	Money Calling	Brethren Hour	" "
9:30	Meredith Willson (NBC)	Civil Defense	" "
9:45	Welcome Tr'v'rs (NBC)	Melodies: News	" "
10:00	Double or Nothing (NBC)	Arthur Godfrey (CBS)	Kitchen Kapers
10:15	" "	" "	F. Singler (MBS)
10:30	" "	" "	When Girl Marries (ABC)
10:45	" "	" "	" "
11:00	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey (CBS)	Kitchen Kapers
11:15	Bob and Ray (NBC)	It Pays to Remember	Friend in Need
11:30	Serenade in Blue	Rosemary (CBS)	" "
11:45	" "	" "	" "

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS

Noon	WTBO 1450 KC	WUCM 1490 KC FM 102.5 MC	WDYK 1530 KC
12:00	News: Music at Mid-Day	Noon News Roundup	Curt Massey (MBS)
12:15	Mid-day News	Perry Mason (CBS)	Cap. Com. (MBS); News
12:30	The Bandstand	Heien Trent (CBS)	Bill Ring Show (ABC)
12:45	" "	Our Gal Sunday (CBS)	Musical Box: Berch
1:00	" "	" "	" "
1:15	Lorenzo Jones (NBC)	Road of Life (CBS)	Paul Harvey (ABC)
1:30	Director's Wife (NBC)	Ma Perkins (CBS)	Ted Malone (ABC)
1:45	" "	Susan Smith Time	Queen or Day (MBS)
2:00	Helen The Homemaker	The Guiding Light (CBS)	" "
2:15	Afternoon Matinee	" "	" "
2:30	" "	" "	" "
2:45	" "	" "	" "
3:00	Road of Life (NBC)	News: Melody Ballroom	Ladies Fair (MBS)
3:15	Right to Happiness (NBC)	Houseparty (CBS)	" "
3:30	Life Can Be B'ful (NBC)	" "	" "
3:45	Pepper Young (NBC)	Show Case: Every Day	Crocker; Ernie
4:00	Backstage Wife (NBC)	Civil Defense	Records At Random
4:15	Stella Dallas (NBC)	The Chicagoans (CBS)	Cal Tinney (ABC)
4:30	Wilder Brown (NBC)	The Brighter Day (CBS)	" "
4:45	Woman in House (NBC)	Trea. B'd.; News (CBS)	Jack Kirkwood (MBS)
5:00	News; 5 O'clock Show	Artistry in Music	Mei Allen Show
5:15	Classified Ads	Wild Bill Hickok (MBS)	Bobby Benson (MBS)
5:30	Willis Creek Hoedown	Civil Defense Program	" "
5:45	" "	Navy Band	" "

EVENING PROGRAMS

6:00	WTBO 1450 KC	WUCM 1490 KC FM 102.5 MC	WDYK 1530 KC
6:00	Your News Reporter	News: Dinner Music	American Trail
6:15	Dick Haynes	Sports Roundup	Lum & Abner (ABC)
6:30	Bill Stern Sports	Old Times' Club	" "
6:45	Ray Block	" This I Believe	" "
7:00	News Parade (NBC)	Al Jackson—News (CBS)	Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15	David Rose Show	Easter Party	Sports Spotlight
7:30	Morgan Beatty (NBC)	Civil Defense Program	Gab. Heatter (MBS)
7:45	One Man's Family (NBC)	Ed. Murrow News (CBS)	News: Griffith (ABC)
8:00	Railroad Hour (NBC)	Suspense (CBS)	Henry J. Taylor (ABC)
8:15	Voice of Firestone (NBC)	Wayne King Show	Hall of Fantasy
8:30	" "	" "	" "
8:45	" "	" "	" "
9:00	Telephone Hour	Radio Theatre (CBS)	B. Henry; Roundup
9:15	" "	" "	On & Off Record (MBS)
9:30	Lyn Murray Show	" "	" "
9:45	" "	" "	" "
10:00	Dinah Shore	Bob Hawk Show (CBS)	Frank Edwards (MBS)
10:15	City Council	" "	Musical Of Masters
10:30	John C. Swayze (NBC)	News: Bonds; Adams	" "
10:45	Mystery Man	Three Suns (CBS)	" "
11:00	Dream Time	News & Analysis (CBS)	Detective Myst. (MBS)
11:15	Morgan Beatty (NBC)	Triumph	News (ABC)
11:30	America's Composers (NBC)	Sign Off	Virgil Pinkley (ABC)
11:45	" "	" "	" "
12:00	News: Sign Off	" "	News: 12:05 Sign Off

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GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty

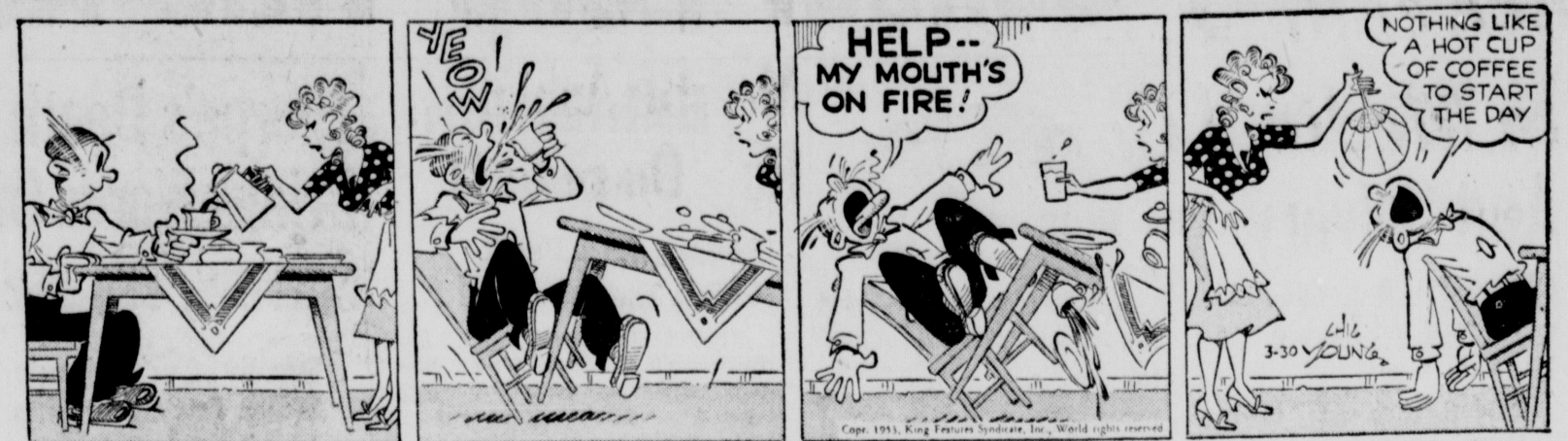


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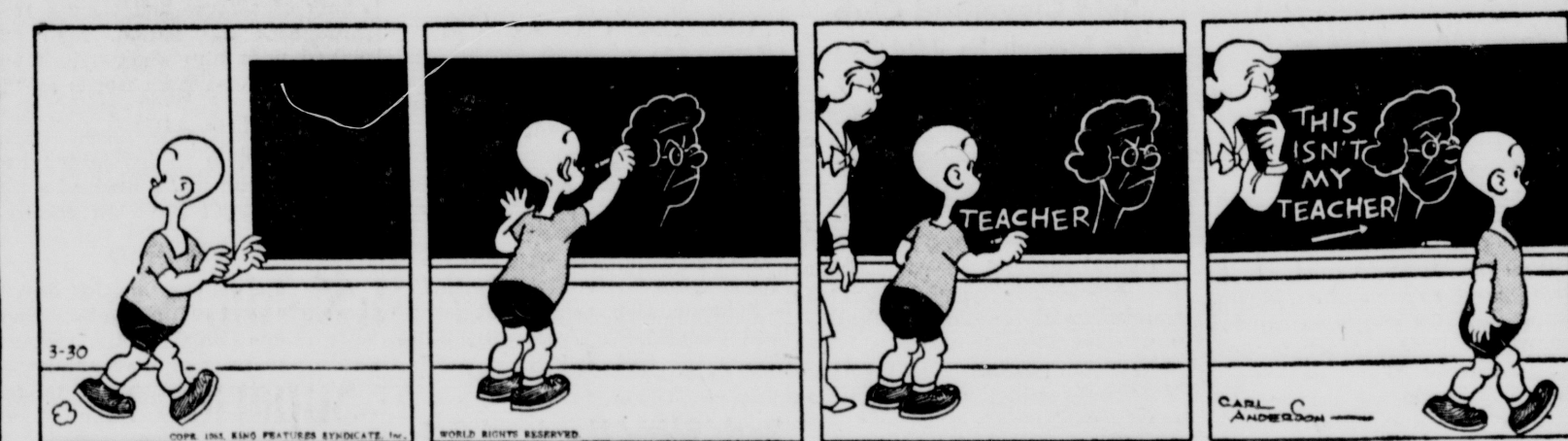
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Radio And Television

by John Crosby

Science Marches On

This is not fundamentally a technical column but I feel duty bound to call attention to the more important scientific advances that come to my attention. Leading the list at the moment is the invention that came out of the University of Illinois of a time compressor which, its inventors say, can chop "The Minute Waltz" down to 45 seconds.

I knew someone would get around to this eventually. I have been compressed and speeded up. But "The Minute Waltz" has been dragging its feet for some century and a quarter now and it's high time someone did something about it. I'm a busy man. I can't go hanging around while Chopin dawdles through a whole minute. There's all sorts of vistas opened up by this time compressor. I'd like to attach it to the telephone when certain lady press agents are on the wire with their little pleas.

I can think of a good many radio shows that could be profitably shrunk by this wondrous device. We could start with the after-midnight disk jockeys, those after-hour philosophers who take an unequivocal stand on motherhood, the man-eating shark and similar matters at such great length. Barry Gray alone could be boiled down from three hours to about 20 minutes and the wisdom of the universe, I feel strongly, wouldn't diminish by an eyelash.

The only thing I haven't quite figured out is what to do with all that left-over time. Two hours and forty minutes of saved Barry Gray time could turn into quite a social problem, increasing my drinking habits and undermining my health. I haven't even managed to figure what to do with those fifteen seconds I'll be saving on "The Minute Waltz." Squander them on a boiled down version of "Chattanooga Choo Choo." I expect.

One of the more notable scientific achievements has been made by a Mr. John D. Kenderdine of Holmdel, Pa., who has finally put Arthur Godfrey to profitable use, something that has defied the efforts of our best thinkers for years. Mr. Kenderdine writes: "For years the birds had stripped our cherry trees before we had a chance. We hung strips of tin that

inkled, iron bars that clanked, hunks of colored cloth that flapped—each good for an hour, then the deluge.

"Last year as the critical day approached we strung a line from the house and placed a radio on a box under the trees. Then we tuned in Arthur Godfrey. That did it. Now we have a shelf-full of cherry preserves." Bravo, Arthur!

Another discovery is of a more delicate nature. Water engineers have known for years that there was a definite correlation between radio and television listening and water pressure. To put it bluntly, it takes eight gallons of water to flush a toilet. Water pressures dip sharply, it was found, during commercials or between shows. In Chicago for example "Tide" magazine reports that during the extra long commercials in the middle of their late at night movies the audience—virtually en masse—left the living room for the bathroom.

So Albert Sindinger, the research man, "always a fast man with a trend," reports "Tide," "has done the obvious thing. He has applied to the U. S. Patent Office for a device which can be attached to the flushing mechanism in the bathroom connected in some way to the Radox and soon he expects he will be able to sit in one central spot and tell just what percent of his sample at any given time is using the toilet." Just what Sindinger plans to do with that information, I couldn't say.

The other great technical stride of the moment is the Souper Noodle Oscillator, a device invented by a couple harassed soundmen for Space adventures. Space adventure scripts are likely to call for the sounds of beetles the size of bathtubs or bats the size of human beings. The oscillator filters the base or treble out of sounds, amplifies it or provides echoes. For those man-size bats, the soundmen dug up a record of a woman screaming, speeded it up from 78 to 110 revolutions a minute, producing a screech that scared the hell out of both of them.

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Today's Radio Programs

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6:15	" "	" "	" "
6:30	" "	" "	" "
6:45	" "	" "	" "
7:00	News	News, Sundial	Russ Ward Show
7:15	Musical Clock	Sundial	" "
7:30	Your News Reporter	News, Sundial	Russ Ward Show
7:45	Musical Clock	Jimmy Carroll	" "
8:00	World News (NBC)	World News (CBS)	Russ Ward Show
8:15	Gold Crown Time	" "	" "
8:30	Sports	" "	" "
8:45	Morning Meditations	" "	" "
9:00	News, Morning Special	News of America (CBS)	Breakfast Club (ABC)
9:15	" "	" "	" "
9:30	Money Calling	Civil Defense	" "
9:45	Meredith Willson (NBC)	Melodies; News	" "
10:00	Welcome Tr'v'ls (NBC)	Arthur Godfrey (CBS)	Kitchen Kapers
10:15	" "	" "	" "
10:30	Doubt or Nothing (NBC)	" "	" "
10:45	" "	" "	" "
11:00	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey (CBS)	Kitchen Kapers
11:15	Bob and Ray (NBC)	It Pays to Remember	" "
11:30	Serenade in Blue	Rosemary (CBS)	" "
11:45	" "	" "	" "
AFTERNOON PROGRAMS			
12:00	News; Music at Mid-Day	Noon News Roundup	Curt Massey (MBS)
12:15	Mid-day News	Perry Mason (CBS)	Cap. Com. (MBS); News
12:30	The Handstand	Our Gai Sunday (CBS)	Bill Ring Show (ABC)
12:45	" "	" "	Music Box; Berch
1:00	" "	Road of Life (CBS)	Paul Harvey (ABC)
1:15	" "	Ma Perkins (CBS)	Ted Malone (ABC)
1:30	Lorenzo Jones (NBC)	Susan Smith Time	Queen For Day (MBS)
1:45	Doctor's Wife (NBC)	The Guiding Light (CBS)	" "
2:00	Heien The Homemaker	News; Melody Ballroom	Ladies Fair (MBS)
2:15	Afternoon Matinee	" "	" "
2:30	" "	" "	" "
2:45	Afternoon Matinee	" "	" "
3:00	Road of Life (NBC)	News; Melody Ballroom	Records At Random
3:15	Right to Happiness (NBC)	Houseparty (CBS)	" "
3:30	Life Can Be B'ful (NBC)	" "	" "
3:45	Pepper Young (NBC)	Show Case; Every Day	Personality Time
4:00	Backstage Wife (NBC)	Civil Defense	Cal Tinney (ABC)
4:15	Stella Dallas (NBC)	The Chicagoans (CBS)	Jack Kirkwood (MBS)
4:30	Widder Brown (NBC)	The Brighter Day (CBS)	Mel Allen Show
4:45	Woman in House (NBC)	Trea. B'd.; News (CBS)	" "
5:00	News; 5 O'clock Show	Artistry in Music	Bobby Benson (MBS)
5:15	Classified Ads	Civil Defense Program	Wild Bill Hickok (MBS)
5:30	Wills Creek Hoedown	Navy Band	" "
5:45	" "	" "	" "
EVENING PROGRAMS			
6:00	Your News Reporter	News; Dinner Music	" "
6:15	Dick Haynes	Sports Roundup	" "
6:30	Bill Sterne Sports	Old Time's Club	American Trail
6:45	Ray Block	" " This I Believe	Lam & Abner (ABC)
7:00	News Parade (NBC)	Al Jackson—News (CBS)	Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15	David Ross Show	Easter Party	Sports Spotlite
7:30	Morgan Hearty (NBC)	Civil Defense Program	Gab. Heater (MBS)
7:45	One Man's Family (NBC)	Ed. Murrow News (CBS)	News; Griffith (ABC)
8:00	Railroad Hour (NBC)	Suspense (CBS)	Henry J. Taylor (ABC)
8:15	" "	" "	" "
8:30	Voice of Fire's (NBC)	Wayne King Show	Hall of Fantasy
8:45	" "	" "	" "
9:00	Telephone Hour	Radio Theatre (CBS)	B. Henry; Roundup
9:15	" "	" "	" "
9:30	Lyn Murray Show	" "	On & Off Record (MBS)
9:45	" "	" "	" "
10:00	Dinah Shore	Bob Hawk Show (CBS)	Frank Edwards (MBS)
10:15	City Council	" "	" "
10:30	John C. Swazey (NBC)	News; Bonds; Adams	Music Of Masters
10:45	Mystery Man	Three Suns (CBS)	" "
11:00	Dream Time	News & Analysis (CBS)	Detective Myst. (MBS)
11:15	Morgan Hearty (NBC)	Triumph	" "
11:30	America's Composers	Sign Off	News (ABC)
11:45	" "	" "	Virgil Pinkley (ABC)
12:00	News; Sign Off	" "	News; 12:05 Sign Off

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10:15—Arthur Godfrey	9:30—Marty's Sketch Pad	9:00—China Smith
10:30—Prologue to Future	9:45—Morning Chapel	9:30—Big Story
10:45—One in Every Family	9:45—Garry Moore	10:00—Studio One
11:00—Strike It Rich	10:00—Arthur Godfrey	11:00—The World Tonight
11:15—Love of Life	11:00—Buz and Bill	11:15—Century Theater
11:30—Search for Tomorrow	11:15—Bride and Groom	12:00—Sports Roundup
11:45—The Guiding Light	11:30—Strike It Rich	12:35—Spring Shift Theater
1:00—Holler Derby	12:00—News at Noon	12:45—Spring Shift Theater
1:15—Garry Moore	12:15—Love of Life	1:00—Early Bird Theater
1:30—That I May See	12:30—Search for Tomorrow	11:30—Ladies Fare
1:45—The Big Pay Off	12:45—The Guiding Light	12:15—Neonite Comics
2:00—Welcome Travelers	1:00—Bill Brant Show	12:45—Hearthrob Theater
2:15—Hawesville Falls	1:30—Kay's Kitchen	2:00—Hazel Market Bazar
2:30—Gaby Hayes	2:00—Caldwell's Music Shop	2:30—CF Jamboree
2:45—Music Time	2:15—Stars on Parade	3:00—Paul Dixon Show
3:00—Meet Your Neighbor	2:30—Meet Your Neighbor	4:00—News; Das Jockey
3:15—Viz Quiz	3:00—The Big Pay Off	5:00—News; Das Jockey
3:30—News	3:30—Paul Dixon Show	5:30—News
3:45—Mr. Peepers	4:00—Kate Smith	6:00—Western Tales
4:00—News in Review	4:15—Film	6:30—Mopet Movie
4:15—Little Theater	4:30—Kate Smith	6:45—Time for Beany
4:30—Those Two	5:00—Ranch Gals	7:00—Captain Video
4:45—News Caravan	5:30—Wild Bill Hickok	7:30—Adventure Time
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6:45—The Big Picture	7:45—Time Out	11:30—Night Owl Theater
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By Lichty



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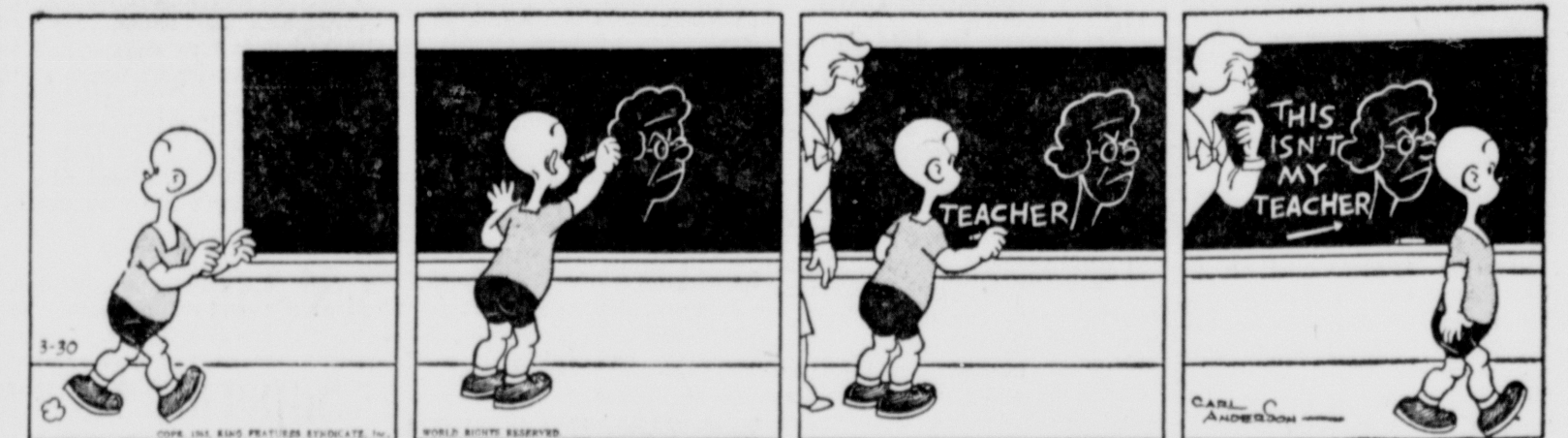
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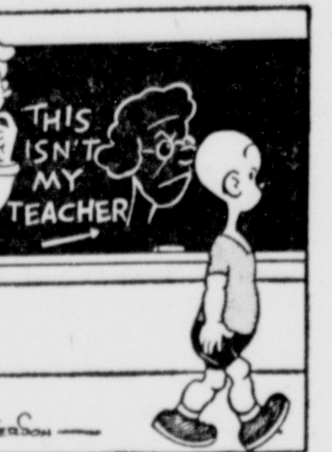
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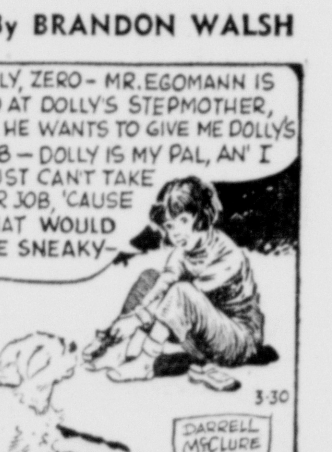
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McKeldin Is 'Dubious' On Medical Care Cut

House Slices Fund By \$100,000

ANNAPOLIS, March 29 (AP) — Gov. McKeldin said today he was dubious about a House-passed cut of \$100,000 in Maryland's medical care program for the needy.

He also admitted "to some concern" over a deep slash in welfare appropriations.

Of the two millions stripped from the entire 1953-54 budget he drew up, McKeldin said "considerable belt tightening" would be necessary but that he would have urged state agencies to economize any way.

The governor commented only on budget surgery performed by the House Ways and Means Committee and approved by the whole House. The Senate Finance Committee hasn't reported on its work, but responsible sources said the total reduction would be even greater than that initiated by the House.

Will Detail Cuts

Majority Leader Goldstein (D-Calvert) said yesterday after long conferences with a House subcommittee that his Senate Finance Committee would detail its cuts sometime tomorrow. He and House Majority Leader Logan (D-Caroline) said both units had reached agreement on the hundreds of items in the big appropriations bill now totaling \$193,314,000.

That means Democrats generally, who control both chambers, are ready to back the budget amendments which will be laid before the Senate in another day or so.

There already were assurances of a contest on the very deductions questioned by the governor. Minority Leader Kimble (R-Allegany) said he will oppose knifing health and welfare funds. Sen. Phoebus (R-Somerset) said he, too, was worried about those items.

McKeldin observed that state departments are saving more than the \$1,530,000 he asked this year at the bidding of the 1952 Legislature.

Lower Budget Possible

He said it is "not inconceivable" that the state can get along next year on two millions less than originally proposed.

"Whether the larger 1954 cuts are prescribed for the proper places, only time and more analysis can tell," he added.

If he were to "take quick issue" with any particular operation, McKeldin said, it would be with the \$50,000 trimmed from medical care funds in the counties and a like amount in Baltimore.

That retrenchment was adopted by the House, and reportedly was unchanged in committee negotiations with the Senate.

The counties, with \$650,000, would still be \$12,000 better off than this year, but Baltimore would be trimmed \$55,000 to \$617,000.

"No Loss In Service," Says Logan

McKeldin said he was especially concerned because Maryland's medical aid program is young and still developing. It already has attracted nationwide attention "as the logical recognition of responsibility toward the medical needs of the very poor, and the preventive means at state level against national socialized medicine," he declared.

The governor's comment brought from Logan the flat prediction "there will be no loss in services" with money allowed by the House.

The floor leader insisted "more efficient administration and judicious spending" would improve the program. He charged "fat" in the current health budget enabled the department to dip into other accounts to recover \$50,000 dropped from its county-aid funds last year.

Goldstein said negotiations between the Senate and House groups had developed a "good, sound budget" in every respect.

Sen. Phipps (D-Anne Arundel), noting the governor had committed the House committee last week for lowering expenditures, asserted "now he's talking out of the both sides of his mouth."

Relief Cut To \$120,000

The governor said he also was bothered by cuts of \$233,000 in welfare appropriations. And judging by telegrams piling up on his desk, he figured "responsible county officials" were alarmed.

"I cannot be heedless to their expressed concern," he said.

As passed by the House, welfare allotments proposed by McKeldin were sliced \$120,000 in general relief payments and \$100,000 in administration of local departments.

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Truman, his wife, Bess, and daughter, Margaret, were met at the dock by Hawaii's territorial governor, Samuel Wilder King, Adm. Arthur W. Radford, Pacific fleet commander, and a host of civil and Democratic party officials.

In a brief aside on politics, Truman said the Democratic party was "in excellent shape" and "we have a great leader in (former) Gov. (Adlai) Stevenson" of Illinois.

Brushing off most questions on domestic and international issues, the slightly tanned ex-president said he was after "as much rest and sleep as possible."

After the welcoming ceremonies, the Truman party left for Coconut Island, palatial retreat where they will be guests of California oil man Ed Pauley.

Social Chart

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The broadcast said the accused worked mainly among "politically uneducated people," telling them they would be punished by Jehovah if they entered the Czech Army.

Greeks Have Word For It; Turks Angry

ISTANBUL, Turkey, March 29 (AP) — The Greeks have a word for this town—and the Turks don't like it.

Athens newspapers have been suggesting that the Turks change the name of Istanbul—which means the Boulevard of Islam—back to Constantinople, the Town of Constantine.

The Greeks say this would be a good year to do it because it was just 500 years ago—on May 29, 1453—that the Turks captured the town, thus engineering the final collapse of the Greek Byzantine empire. That's when the name got changed. The city was founded—and named Constantinople—in the fourth century, by Constantine the Great.

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A86
43
AQ84

32
KQ54
J73
65
K9

110
109
AJ72
765
32

32
KQ542
KQ1098
J10

(Dealer South. North-South vulnerable.)

	South	West	North	East
1	Pass	2	2	Pass
3	Pass	2	2	Pass
2	10	Pass	2	2
3	Pass	3	3	Pass
4				

Actual bidding on this rubber deal was as in the first sequence. South, not much past the beginner's stage, opened the bidding with his diamond suit because it was a bit stronger than the

Tomorrow's Problem

6
K10954
AK6
10643

10874
J72
J9
AQ7

AQ532
A
874
KJ85

(Dealer South. Neither side vulnerable.)

If normal bidding puts South in 5-Clubs, why is a diamond lead by West very unsound-bridge?

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Local Churches

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devotional meditation by the Rev. Seth C. Morrow, minister of the Church. The service will be concluded each day at 12:25 p. m. These services are planned so that those who have one hour for lunch will have time to attend.

The Preparatory Service will be held in the Sanctuary of the Church on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed Thursday at 7:30 p. m., and the Rev. Mr. Morrow will deliver a communion meditation entitled, "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?"

The Church has four nurseries which are equipped to care for infants and all pre-school children during the hour of the Morning Worship Service on Easter Sunday, at which the Rev. Mr. Morrow will preach on the subject: "What Easter Means to Us."

St. Patrick's

Holy Week services at two local Catholic churches were announced yesterday.

Very Rev. J. Lawrence Kilkenny, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, said confessions will be heard Wednesday from 8:30 to 10 a. m. for children, 4 to 6 and 7:15 to 9 p. m.

On Holy Thursday, communion will be distributed at 6, 6:30, 7 and 7:30 a. m. A high mass will be celebrated at 8 a. m., followed by the procession to the repository. A Passionist missionary will deliver a sermon at 7:30 p. m.

The Mass of the Pre-Sanctified, procession from the repository and veneration of the cross will be held Good Friday at 8 a. m. with the three hours agony beginning at noon under the direction of a Passionist missionary. Stations of the Cross will be said at 5:30 p. m., followed by a sermon and veneration of the cross at 7:30.

The schedule for Holy Saturday calls for the blessing of new fire, the paschal candle, Easter and baptismal water at 6:30 a. m. Mass of the Resurrection will be held at 8 o'clock. Confessions will be heard from 4 to 6 p. m. and from 7:15 to 9 p. m.

Masses Easter Sunday will be celebrated at 5:30, 7, 8:30, 10, 11 and noon. There is no midnight Mass scheduled at St. Patrick's.

SS. Peter and Paul

The complete schedule for SS. Peter and Paul Church, of which Rev. Louis Glantz OFM Cap., is pastor, follows:

Holy Thursday — Solemn high mass and procession at 9 a. m., followed by continuous adoration until noon on Good Friday. Distribution of communion at 6, 7 and 8 a. m. and annual Holy Hour at 7:30 p. m., after which confessions will be heard.

Good Friday—Mass of the Pre-Sanctified at noon, followed by "Tre Ore" devotions and concluding with Stations of the Cross at 2:30. Confessions. Stations of the Cross at 7:30 and blessing with the relic of the True Cross. Confessions.

The cross relic will be exposed for veneration Good Friday afternoon and night.

Holy Saturday—No Mass in accordance with new decree of the Holy See. Confessions beginning at 2 p. m. and ending at 6 p. m. Services for the vigil of Easter at 10:30 p. m., concluding with solemn high midnight mass.

Masses on Easter Sunday will be held at 5:30, 7, 8:15 (children's), 9:30 (solemn high) and 11 a. m. No noon day mass is scheduled.

First to announce a midnight mass for Easter was SS. Peter and Paul where pre-Easter services will get under way at 10:30 p. m. Saturday.

St. Ambrose

St. Ambrose Catholic Church, Cresaptown, will keep the high feast days of Holy Week with all the solemnity of the traditional Catholic ritual for smaller churches.

The "Great Week" of the Christian year opened yesterday morning with the "Blessing of the Palm"—symbolic of Christ's victory over death—before the high mass at 10 o'clock. Rev. Gordon Heath O.F.M.Cap., pastor of Beane Cove, Pa., will assist Rev. Carol Warner O.F.M.Cap. in the ceremonies.

On Holy Thursday another high mass at 9 o'clock will celebrate Christ's institution of the Holy Eucharist at the Last Supper. At the end of this mass a consecrated host will be carried in procession to an altar especially erected for this day. There the Presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament will receive the adoration and homage of the parishioners throughout the day.

On Good Friday Christ's Crucifixion and Death will be commemorated. The service will begin with the funeral ceremonies surrounding the "Mass of the Presanctified," in which the host consecrated the day before is consumed. After this the altar will be stripped of all coverings and the tabernacle left open and empty—"silent symbols of the saddest day in history," said Father Warner. The reading of the "Passion of Our Lord according to St. John" and the Way of the Cross will bring the services to a close at 3 p. m.

The Easter Vigil Service, a return to the vigils of the first Christian centuries, will begin at 10:30 p. m. Saturday. Pope Pius XII permitted this return to the original time of the Holy Saturday services in order to allow the faithful to take a more active part in them and to let their full import be more evident.

The climax of the vigil will be reached in the offering of the glorious Easter sacrifice of the mass and in the communion during it. This mass will begin shortly after midnight. Other Easter masses will be at 8 and 10 a. m.

Red Cross Still Short Of Goal Set At \$32,800

Only About \$24,000 Reported In County

The Red Cross fund drive in Allegany County is lagging and is far only about \$24,000 of a minimum quota of \$32,800 has been raised, according to Charles E. Kopp, chairman for the drive.

Kopp pointed out that the Allegany County Chapter should raise \$35,000 as the amount of money needed for the Red Cross blood program, and the program to produce gamma globulin, which is used as a vaccine for infantile paralysis, could not be determined.

The blood program, in effect in this county for about a year, has resulted in a mobile blood bank coming here monthly to collect blood donations. The local chapter is affiliated with the regional blood bank which operates out of Johnstown.

Kopp said reports from various communities in the county are not yet in and there are also some larger groups which have not reported. Any person who has not donated to the fund drive can do so either at the Red Cross office in the Post Office building or telephone and be told who the fund worker is in their neighborhood.

It was pointed out by Red Cross officials that the program of the organization now encompasses a wide effort in behalf of the civilian population, outside of the usual assistance given during times of disasters such as flood, fire and similar mishaps.

Then too, the blood program is vital to the war effort in Korea and the blood given by the civilian population will render support to the soldiers in Korea who are wounded.

East Side Youth Held For Attempting To Assault Neighbor

A teenage East Side boy was arrested and held for investigation last week after an 18-year-old neighbor girl said he had tried to assault her.

Detective Lt. James E. Van said the youth had admitted attempting to attack the girl on Leiper Street at about 4 p. m. yesterday. The girl, however, escaped unharmed.

Lt. Van said the boy recently was paroled from the Maryland Training School for Boys at Loch Raven, where he had been committed following a Juvenile Court hearing in connection with a burglary case.

The boy, who was arrested at 5:15 p. m. yesterday by Detective Leo E. P. Law, is scheduled to be taken to Juvenile Court today.

32 Seniors To Take Scholarship Tests

Some 32 seniors in Allegany County high schools have announced their intentions of taking an examination for scholarships to Maryland universities and colleges. Assistant Superintendent Richard T. Rizer said yesterday.

The list included 13 girls and 19 boys, he said. The assistant superintendent indicated that possibly a few more seniors might report at the Board of Education office at 10 o'clock this morning for the test.

Garrett County Gets Shipment Of Trees

A third shipment of trees brings to 310,000 the number shipped to Garrett County from the state nursery in Anne Arundel County for spring planting, according to District Forester William H. Johnson. Included among the trees are Scotch pines, red pines, white pines and Norway spruce. Snow this week has prevented employees from the State Department of Forests and Parks from planting the trees in state forests. Some are being supplied to private landowners.

License Plate Sale Above 1952 Pace

Tax Collector Ernest B. Treat said that the sale of Maryland license plates at his office in the Court House is still running well ahead of the pace of last year.

With sale of about 655 Friday, the total purchased this year has reached about 12,225. A year ago on the same date 9,450 had been sold. Treat has been issued a total of about 17,800 plates, so still has about 5,575 on hand.

Today his office will be open from 8 a. m. until noon, Monday and Tuesday the hours will be a. m. until 4 p. m. Plates must be attached by midnight Tuesday.

Solons To Honor State Princess

U. S. Senators John Marshall Butler and J. Glenn Beall of Maryland will hold a joint reception, in conjunction with the Maryland State Society, to honor Miss Sally Lee Rush of Chevy Chase, the state's National Cherry Blossom Princess for 1953.

The affair will be held Wednesday, April 8, at 9 p. m. in the office of Sen. Butler, Room 341, Senate office Building, Washington, D. C.

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House Slices Fund By \$100,000

ANNAPOLIS, March 29 (AP) — Gov. McKeldin said today he was dubious about a House-passed cut of \$100,000 in Maryland's medical care program for the needy.

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Of the two millions stripped from the entire 1953-54 budget he drew up, McKeldin said "considerable belt tightening" would be necessary but that he would have urged state agencies to economize anyway.

The governor commented only on budget surgery performed by the House Ways and Means Committee and approved by the whole House. The Senate Finance Committee hasn't reported on its work, but responsible sources said the total reduction would be even greater than that initiated by the House.

Will Detail Cuts
Majority Leader Goldstein (D-Calvert) said yesterday after long conferences with a House subcommittee that his Senate Finance Committee would detail its cuts sometime tomorrow. He and House Majority Leader Logan (D-Caroline) said both units had reached agreement on the hundreds of items in the big appropriations bill now totaling \$193,314,000.

That means Democrats generally, who control both chambers, are ready to back the budget amendments which will be laid before the Senate in another day or so. There already were assurances of a contest on the very deductions questioned by the governor. Minority Leader Kimble (R-Allegany) said he will oppose knifing health and welfare funds. Sen. Phoebus (R-Somerset) said he, too, was worried about those items.

McKeldin observed that state departments are saving more than the \$1,530,000 he asked this year at the bidding of the 1952 Legislature.

Lower Budget Possible
He said it is "not conceivable" that the state can get along next year on two millions less than originally proposed.

"Whether the larger 1954 cuts are prescribed for the proper places, only time and more analysis can tell," he added.
If he were to "take quick issue" with any particular operation, McKeldin said, it would be with the \$50,000 trimmed from medical care funds in the counties and a like amount in Baltimore.

That retrenchment was adopted by the House, and reportedly was unchanged in committee negotiations with the Senate.

The counties, with \$650,000, would still be \$12,000 better off than this year, but Baltimore would be trimmed \$55,000 to \$617,000.

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McKeldin said he was especially concerned because Maryland's medical aid program is young and still developing. It already has attracted nationwide attention "as the logical recognition of responsibility toward the medical needs of the very poor, and the preventive means at state level against national socialized medicine," he declared.

The governor's comment brought from Logan the flat prediction "there will be no loss in services" with money allowed by the House.

The floor leader insisted "more efficient administration and judicious spending" would improve the program. He charged "fat" in the current health budget enabled the department to dip into other accounts to recover \$50,000 dropped from its county-aid funds last year.

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The school superintendent said he would express his opposition to the bill to Sen. Omar D. Crothers Jr. (D-Cecil), chairman of the Judicial Proceedings Committee, which is considering the measure.

Introduced at the request of Sydney R. Traub, chief state movie censor, it also would raise his salary from \$3,200 a year to \$6,000 and the salaries of his two assistants from \$2,750 to \$4,500.

Harrington, criticizing the news censorship bill introduced by Sen. Francis X. Dippel (D-Balto 3rd), complimented Sen. Louis L. Goldstein (D-Calvert) for heading off a vote on the measure last week.

Goldstein, majority leader of the Senate, asked that the vote be postponed until Monday.

"This is cutting off freedom of speech, the way it looks to me," Goldstein said.

In a letter to Goldstein, Harrington said:

"You and your colleagues have done people of this State a great service in delaying action on Senate Bill 511 until the full import of this measure could be made known."

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Harrington said provisions of the bill "run contrary" to Constitutional guarantees of free speech and press, and deny Marylanders "their right to know—to be fully informed of the workings of our government . . ."

Two Area Youths Hurt In Mishaps
The conditions of two youths admitted to Sacred Heart Hospital Saturday afternoon with injuries suffered while playing, were reported good last night.

William Duckworth, nine-year-old son of Augustus Duckworth, Corriganville, sustained an injury of his left wrist when he fell from the roof of a garage. X-rays are to be taken.

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He took issue with standardized, regimented or tax-supported recreation advocated by Charles Reed, consultant to the National Recreation Association, who shared the platform with the Governor.

Reed argued that it was the responsibility of the community to maintain recreation opportunities for all citizens and that tax money should be used to support such activities.

He said community leisure time should be programmed for the entire year.

McKeldin countered that regimentation of citizens is foreign to American life and pointed out that nature has provided many recreation facilities such as swimming holes, fishing creeks and bridle paths.

"Regimentation and excess in supervision should be avoided," the governor added. "Where men enjoy a game of quoits in the back yard, for example, there is no real purpose served by talking them into a basket-weaving project at some recreation center. Women with their own bridge clubs, sewing clubs or the like should have no need for supervised recreation."

The Governor said the primary purpose of city recreation agencies should be to keep young children off city streets, give them places for healthful exercises and mind-developing activities.

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No one was injured although several people were in the buildings when the fire broke out.

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MOSCOW, March 29 (AP)—Maurice Thorez, No. 1 man in the French Communist party, should be going home soon, after three years of medical treatment in the Soviet Union. An informed source here said his passport has been issued and arrangements made for him to go home by train through West Germany.

Ike Asked To Tell Nation Facts About Russian Strength

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP)—President Eisenhower got "a respectful suggestion" today to personally tell Congress and the nation the facts about Russian military and atomic strength and American defenses.

The unusual appeal came in a letter from freshman Sen. Henry M. Jackson (D-Wash.), who served four years on the congressional atomic committee while in the House.

Jackson had his letter delivered to the White House by special messenger before handing copies to reporters.

Mother And Three Children Die In Fire

XENIA, O., March 29 (AP)—A young mother who futilely attempted to rescue her three children died with them in a blaze in their Xenia home early today.

Mrs. Alice Virginia Brooks, 21, was found just inside the door of her East Side home. Her children, Cheryl, six months, Larue, 2, and Steven, 4, were found in their beds.

James Brooks, 23, the husband and father, suffered second degree burns on the face and hands. Attendants at Greene Memorial Hospital reported his condition as fair.

Four Die When Fire Destroys Their Home

HYDE PARK, N. Y., March 29 (AP)—Four persons died early today in a fire that destroyed their frame home.

The dead were identified as Mrs. Lawrence Wellington, about 30, her two daughters, Linda, 9, and Agnes, 3, and an uncle, Raymond Wilson, about 60.

Mrs. Wellington's husband, not home at the time, was hospitalized for shock after being told of the accident.

Firemen said the blaze apparently was caused by a coal gas explosion.

Pearisburg, Va., Fire Causes Heavy Damage

PEARISBURG, Va., March 29 (AP)—Seven fire companies finally smothered a blaze in Pearisburg's business district early today after flames destroyed two buildings and razed a third.

Pearisburg Fire Chief Kent Pennington said damage estimates, not yet final, "might reach as high as \$200,000."

He listed as total losses the two-story brick American Legion home and a two-story frame restaurant.

Fire Destroys Block Of Oklahoma Town
LONE WOLF, Okla., March 29 (AP)—A flash fire whipped by 20-mile-an-hour winds early today destroyed almost an entire block of the business district of this small Southwestern Oklahoma town.

Only a drug store, real estate office and garage were left standing. The fire sprang up about midnight in a barber shop and within three hours had razed five businesses.

No one was injured although several people were in the buildings when the fire broke out.

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(Dealer South. Neither side vulnerable.)
If normal bidding puts South in 5-Clubs, why is a diamond lead by West very unsound bridge?

Local Churches

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devotional meditation by the Rev. Seth C. Morrow, minister of the Church. The service will be concluded each day at 12:25 p. m. These services are planned so that those who have one hour for lunch will have time to attend.

The Preparatory Service will be held in the Sanctuary of the Church on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed Thursday at 7:30 p. m., and the Rev. Mr. Morrow will deliver a communion meditation entitled, "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?"

The Church has four nurseries which are equipped to care for infants and all pre-school children during the hour of the Morning Worship Service on Easter Sunday, at which the Rev. Mr. Morrow will preach on the subject: "What Easter Means to Us."

St. Patrick's

Holy Week services at two local Catholic churches were announced yesterday.

Very Rev. J. Lawrence Kilkenny, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, said confessions will be heard Wednesday from 8:30 to 10 a. m. for children, 4 to 6 and 7:15 to 9 p. m.

On Holy Thursday, communion will be distributed at 6, 6:30, 7 and 7:30 a. m. A high mass will be celebrated at 8 a. m., followed by the procession to the repository. A Passionist missionary will deliver a sermon at 7:30 p. m.

The Mass of the Pre-Sanctified, procession from the repository and veneration of the cross will be held Good Friday at 8 a. m. with the three hours agony beginning at noon under the direction of a Passionist missionary. Stations of the Cross will be said at 5:30 p. m., followed by a sermon and veneration of the cross at 7:30.

The schedule for Holy Saturday calls for the blessing of new fire, the paschal candle, Easter and baptismal water at 6:30 a. m. Mass of the Resurrection will be held at 8 o'clock. Confessions will be heard from 4 to 6 p. m. and from 7:15 to 9 p. m.

Masses Easter Sunday will be celebrated at 5:30, 7, 8:30, 10, 11 and noon. There is no midnight Mass scheduled at St. Patrick's.

SS. Peter and Paul

The complete schedule for SS. Peter and Paul Church, of which Rev. Louis Glantz OFM Cap. is pastor, follows:

Holy Thursday — Solemn high mass and procession at 9 a. m., followed by continuous adoration until noon on Good Friday. Distribution of communion at 6, 7 and 8 a. m., and annual Holy Hour at 7:30 p. m., after which confessions will be heard.

Good Friday—Mass of the Pre-Sanctified at noon, followed by "The Ore" devotions and concluding with Stations of the Cross at 2:30. Confessions. Stations of the Cross at 7:30 and blessing with the relic of the True Cross. Confessions.

The cross relic will be exposed for veneration Good Friday afternoon and night.

Holy Saturday—No Mass in accordance with new decree of the Holy See. Confessions beginning at 2 p. m. and ending at 6 p. m. Services for the vigil of Easter at 10:30 p. m., concluding with solemn high midnight mass.

Masses on Easter Sunday will be held at 5:30, 7, 8:15 (children's), 9:30 (solemn high) and 11 a. m. No noon day mass is scheduled.

First to announce a midnight mass for Easter was SS. Peter and Paul where pre-Easter services will get under way at 10:30 p. m. Saturday.

St. Ambrose

St. Ambrose Catholic Church, Cresaptown, will keep the high feast days of Holy Week with all the solemnity of the traditional Catholic ritual for smaller churches.

The "Great Week" of the Christian year opened yesterday morning with the "Blessing of the Palm"—symbolic of Christ's victory over death—before the high mass at 10 o'clock. Rev. Gordon Heath O.F.M. Cap., pastor of Beans Cove, Pa., will assist Rev. Carol Warner O.F.M. Cap. in the ceremonies.

On Holy Thursday another High mass at 9 o'clock will celebrate Christ's institution of the Holy Eucharist at the Last Supper. At the end of this mass a consecrated host will be carried in procession to an altar especially erected for this day. There the Presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament will receive the adoration and homage of the parishioners throughout the day.

On Good Friday Christ's Crucifixion and Death will be commemorated. The service will begin with the funeral ceremonies surrounding the "Mass of the Presanctified," in which the host consecrated the day before is consumed. After this the altar will be stripped of all coverings and the tabernacle left open and empty—"silent symbols of the saddest day in history," said Father Warner. The reading of the "Passion of Our Lord according to St. John" and the Way of the Cross will bring the services to a close at 3 p. m.

The Easter Vigil Service, a return to the vigils of the first Christian centuries, will begin at 10:30 p. m. Saturday. Pope Pius XII permitted this return to the original time of the Holy Saturday services in order to allow the faithful to take a more active part in them and to let their full import be more evident.

The climax of the vigil will be reached in the offering of the glorious Easter sacrifice of the mass and in the communion during it. This mass will begin shortly after midnight. Other Easter masses will be at 8 and 10 a. m.

Red Cross Still Short Of Goal Set At \$32,800

Only About \$24,000 Reported In County

The Red Cross fund drive in Allegany County is lagging and so far only about \$24,000 of a minimum quota of \$32,800 has been raised, according to Charles L. Kopp, chairman for the drive.

Kopp pointed out that the Allegany County Chapter should raise \$35,000 as the amount of money needed for the Red Cross blood program, and the program to produce gamma globulin, which is used as a vaccine for infantile paralysis, could not be determined.

The blood program, in effect in this county for about a year, has resulted in a mobile blood bank coming here monthly to collect blood donations. The local chapter is affiliated with the regional blood bank which operates out of Johnstown.

Kopp said reports from various communities in the county are not yet in and there are also some larger groups which have not reported. Any person who has not donated to the fund drive can do so either at the Red Cross office in the Post Office building or telephone and be told who the fund worker is in their neighborhood.

It was pointed out by Red Cross officials that the program of the organization now encompasses a wide effort in behalf of the civilian population, outside of the usual assistance given during times of disasters such as flood, fire and similar mishaps.

Then too, the blood program is vital to the war effort in Korea and the blood given by the civilian population will render support to the soldiers in Korea who are wounded.

East Side Youth Held For Attempting To Assault Neighbor

A teenage East Side boy was arrested and held for investigation last week after an 18-year-old neighbor girl said he had tried to assault her.

Detective Lt. James E. Van said the youth had admitted attempting to attack the girl on Leiper Street at about 4 p. m. yesterday. The girl, however, escaped unharmed.

Lt. Van said the boy recently was paroled from the Maryland Training School for Boys at Loch Raven, where he had been committed following a Juvenile Court hearing in connection with a burglary case.

The boy, who was arrested at 5:15 p. m. yesterday by Detective Leo E. P. Law, is scheduled to be taken to Juvenile Court today.

32 Seniors To Take Scholarship Tests

Some 32 seniors in Allegany County high schools have announced their intentions of taking an examination for scholarships to Maryland universities and colleges. Assistant Superintendent Richard T. Rizer said yesterday.

The list included 13 girls and 19 boys, he said. The assistant superintendent indicated that possibly a few more seniors might report at the Board of Education office at 10 o'clock this morning for the test.

Garrett County Gets Shipment Of Trees

A third shipment of trees brings to 310,000 the number shipped to Garrett County from the state nursery in Anne Arundel County for spring planting, according to District Forester William H. Johnson.

Included among the trees are Scotch pines, red pines, white pines and Norway spruce. Snow this week has prevented employees from the State Department of Forests and Parks from planting the trees in state forests. Some are being supplied to private landowners.

License Plate Sale Above 1952 Pace

Tax Collector Ernest B. Treat said that the sale of Maryland license plates at his office in the Court House is still running well ahead of the pace of last year.

With sale of about 655 Friday, the total purchased this year has reached about 12,225. A year ago on the same date 9,450 had been sold. Treat has been issued a total of about 17,800 plates, so still has about 5,575 on hand.

Today his office will be open from 8 a. m. until noon. Monday and Tuesday the hours will be 8 a. m. until 4 p. m. Plates must be attached by midnight Tuesday.

Solons To Honor State Princess

U. S. Senators John Marshall Butler and J. Glenn Beall of Maryland will hold a joint reception, in conjunction with the Maryland State Society, to honor Miss Sally Lee Rush of Chevy Chase, the State's National Cherry Blossom Princess for 1953.

The affair will be held Wednesday, April 8, at 9 p. m. in the office of Sen. Butler, Room 341, Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C.

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Webster Will Present School Budget Tuesday

Some Teachers Will Get Increased Pay

Superintendent of Schools Ralph R. Webster said he will submit the Allegany County school budget for the 1953-54 fiscal year starting July 1 to the County Board of Commissioners, Tuesday morning.

He declined to divulge specific details from the budget before it is submitted to the commissioners. This year the county provides \$1,411,267 for schools.

However, Webster did indicate definitely that the budgetary figure for teachers salaries next year must be at least as high as during the current year and should go a little higher.

During the current year the teacher salary scale has ranged from \$2,700 to \$4,100 for teachers with a bachelor's degree. Under terms of the Green Commission report, which has been adopted as the state-wide formula for increasing teachers' salary, no county may reduce its salary schedule. That means that the \$2,700 starting salary will prevail again next year.

Under the Green Commission provisions, the top salary for teachers with a bachelor's degree will move up \$200 to \$4,300. This increase for teachers in the top bracket undoubtedly will send the school budget upward.

The compromise agreement reached at Annapolis concerning the county's school construction program also will have some effect on the school budget. One provision of that agreement was that the cost of preliminary plans and specifications for the nine critically needed schools should be included in the school budget for the coming fiscal year.

Four members of the Allegany County Board of Education met with Webster Friday to discuss the school budget item by item.

Two Physicians Will Be Honored For Long Service

Two local physicians have been recommended for emeritus membership in the Medical and Surgical Faculty of the State of Maryland for having practiced here over 50 years.

They are Dr. Francis A. G. Murray and Dr. Charlotte B. Gardner. Dr. Murray, who has practiced in Cumberland and Mt. Savage, has been a surgeon and obstetrician as well as general physician in his long career. Dr. Gardner has devoted her career to a general medical practice.

Designation as emeritus members of the Medical and Surgical Faculty will mean that the two physicians will be relieved of paying dues to the faculty and to the Allegany-Garrett County Medical Society to which they belong.

The request for emeritus membership for Dr. Murray and Dr. Gardner originated with the Allegany-Garrett County Medical Society. The Council of the Medical and Surgical Faculty has recommended emeritus membership to the faculty's House of Delegates which is expected to take the final action at its April 27 meeting in Baltimore.

Dr. George H. Yeager, secretary of the Medical and Surgical Faculty, has notified Dr. R. Rhett Rathbone, secretary of the Allegany-Garrett County Medical Society, of the favorable action that has already been taken.

Cosgrove Hurt In Cycle Crash

Robert Cosgrove, 18, of 246½ North Centre Street, was admitted to Sacred Heart Hospital yesterday afternoon shortly before 5 o'clock after the motorcycle he was riding crashed into a guard rail on State Route 28 one mile west of Fort Ashby, W. Va.

Attaches said he suffered several body and head lacerations and was in fair condition last night. He was taken to the hospital by Fort Ashby Volunteer Fire Company ambulance.

Life Saving Swim Course Scheduled At Central YMCA

A junior and senior Red Cross Life Saving Swimming course will be conducted at Central YMCA beginning April 18 and running to May 2, it was announced yesterday by James E. Kelley, Jr., chairman of the Red Cross life saving and water safety program.

Kelley said the course will be conducted every weekday evening including Saturday at the YMCA pool from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock. The senior course will consist of 20 hours of instruction while the junior course will run for 15 hours of instruction.

The junior classes are for boys and girls between 12 and 16 years of age, and the senior course is for persons over 16 years. Kelley explained that boys or girls interested in being life guards at area pools may enroll in the senior course.

To enroll for the swimming instructions, interested persons may call or visit the local Red Cross office in the Post Office Building or Central YMCA. Kelley said the



Popularity Candidates

These six LaSalle High School students have been chosen as candidates for the popularity contest to be held in conjunction with the Men of LaSalle Club bazaar April 14-16 at SS. Peter and Paul hall. The candidates are (left to right) Bernard Spearman, William

Comer, Dennis Shuck, Martin Mullaney, Robert Christ and Robert Martin. Ballots will be collected at the bazaar the first two days and the winner will be announced Thursday, April 16. Balloting is open to adults as well as students.

Cumberland B&O Division To Get 12 More Diesels

Yard Expansion Work Continues

The old railroad steam locomotive will take another step toward extinction in the next three months when the Cumberland Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad puts its new diesel engines in operation.

Chester T. Williams, superintendent of the Cumberland Division, said last night the B&O plans to put 12 or 14 additional diesels on the local division and will have them in operation by May or June.

To Reduce Steam

He said this will definitely mean a reduction in the number of steam engines which have served the railroad faithfully for over a century on the Cumberland Division.

Three new diesel engines have already been sent to the Monongalia Division, and the local division will receive its new locomotives in the next three months.

Williams added the additional engines will leave very few steam locomotives on the Cumberland Division, and these will be used as "steam helpers" at Cumberland, Martinsburg and Keyser.

Meanwhile tentative plans for continuing the development of the Cumberland terminal of the B&O call for increasing the size and capacity and materially improve the efficiency of the local facility.

The complete program, if it materializes, will take many years. According to W. C. Baker, vice president in charge of operation and maintenance, each step of the whole plan is designed to be economically justified.

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"Hosanna," yes the Christ rides in triumph to His throne, but His throne is a cross, and it is that cross which is the emblem of salvation to all men and nations who cry in faith believing, "Hosanna."

Miss Mansfield Given Watch By Amcelle

Miss A. Loretta Mansfield, 109 Valley Street, completed 25 years service yesterday at Amcelle and was awarded a lady's wrist watch by the plant manager.

She has worked in Accounting during her entire employment with Celanese and her work has always been closely connected with the transportation department. Arthur F. Happe, Controller for the Textile Division, also presented an engraved 25-year certificate and a 5-star Celanese service emblem. Miss Mansfield has worked with Mr. Happe for over 21 years. Fellow-workers in main office and plant offices honored her with a dinner party last night.

Bad Weather Hampers Search For Missing Air Force Plane

Local Civil Air Patrol pilots will take to the air again today in search of a missing Air Force training plane believed to be down somewhere in the Elkins, W. Va., area.

Efforts of fliers over the weekend were hampered by weather so dangerous that one search craft was hemmed in and forced to land at Fairmont, W. Va., some 70 air miles west of here.

The search plane, a BT-13 two-place trainer, was piloted by Floyd Ashenfelter of Cumberland, with H. B. Wintermoyer, also of Cumberland, acting as observer.

CAP authorities said Ashenfelter and Wintermoyer ran into snow and ice on their way home from Elkins after the search was called off because of bad weather Saturday.

Ashenfelter got as far as Oakland before the weather hemmed him in, but was forced to turn around and go to Fairmont, where he and Wintermoyer landed without difficulty, then caught a train back home.

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12 Candidates Vie In LaSalle Bazaar Contest

Most Popular Boy, Girl To Be Named April 16

A popularity contest to select the most popular boy and girl in Cumberland's four Catholic High Schools will be conducted by the Men of LaSalle Club in conjunction with the club's bazaar, April 14-16 at SS. Peter and Paul hall, Fayette Street.

The bazaar is being conducted by the Men of LaSalle to help raise funds for the operation of LaSalle High School and ballots for the contest will be available to all persons who attend the bazaar on the first two days, April 14 and 15.

Selected as candidate for most popular boy are six LaSalle High student while two girls each from St. Mary's High, Girls Central High and Ursuline Academy have been chosen to participate in the affair. The candidates are:

LaSalle High
Martin Mullaney, senior
William Comer, senior
Robert Martin, senior
Robert Christ, junior
Dennis Shuck, junior
Bernard Spearman, junior
St. Mary's High
Catherine Spicer, senior
Phyllis Lydinger, senior
Girls Central
Jean Rozum, senior
Margaret Blaise, junior
Ursuline Academy
Nancy Minke, senior
Rosemary Mullaney, senior

Mrs. John Keinhof, Columbia Avenue, is chairman of the contest. She said ballots will be collected in containers in a booth at the bazaar during the first two days.

The winners of the contest will be announced Thursday, April 16, at 10 p. m. at the bazaar, Mrs. Keinhof stated. Contestants will be present at that time and the winners will each receive a pen and pencil set as prize for their selections as the most popular boy and girl.

Pence Outlines Rec Activities For Next Month

In a monthly report approved by the City Recreation Board, Robert E. Pence, city recreation director, listed coming activities for April.

One of the first events on the April program is the first annual "Girls' Basketball Tournament" which begins today and runs until Wednesday at Allegany High School.

Pence reported that April will see the expansion of girls' athletic and recreation program to include new schools and all grades in all the grade schools.

Next month a meeting of officials and interested persons will be held to organize a Sportsman's Baseball League for boys between 15 and 16 years of age. There will also be a meeting of managers and officials of the Little League to set up operation of baseball for boys between 10 and 12 years of age.

Managers and sponsors of recreation softball league teams will also meet next month, according to Pence.

Pence said April will see the annual player draft for boys of the Hot Stove and Little Leagues. Meanwhile workers will continue getting the local baseball fields into playing condition, and playground equipment will be put out on school grounds.

The City Recreation Board will terminate movies at the North End Playground, but the current art classes will continue. Also Pence will meet with officials of the Playground Associations concerning the supervision of playground equipment on non-school and city-owned playgrounds.

According to Pence's report the cost for next month's activities is estimated at \$3,150.40. About \$1,000 will be used in conditioning baseball fields.

Cost of Recreational activities in March was \$1,406.67.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ringler, Washington, announce the birth of a son there Saturday. The mother is the former Miss Lois Fridley of Ridgeley.

Memorial Hospital
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis M. Crider, RD 1, Ridgeley, a son yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Brant, 16 Pennsylvania Avenue, a son yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. Poland, Wiley Ford, W. Va., a daughter yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Keplinger, Fort Ashby, W. Va., a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Nethken, 26 Arch Street, a son yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Carlton R. Benson, Ocean City, a daughter Saturday.

The mother is the former Miss Betty J. Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Harper, 209 Aviret Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Hartman, Glencoe, Pa., a son Friday.

Sacred Heart Hospital
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Squires, RFD 4, this city, twin sons yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foutz, Hyndman, Pa., a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abe, RD 1, Ridgeley, a son Saturday.

Weather

Yesterday, the second Sunday in Spring, seemed more like a winter day insofar as the weather was concerned. Although the official high was recorded at Constitution Park as 42 and the low 38, it seemed somewhat colder because of a cold wind. At 8 o'clock last night the official reading was 39 degrees. Humidity at 6 o'clock was 84 per cent. A slight rainfall of .02 inches was recorded for the 24 hour period ending last night. Today apparently will be a little more pleasant. The prediction called for considerable cloudiness and a high somewhere between 46 and 52, a little warmer than yesterday.

UNOFFICIAL DOWNTOWN TEMPERATURES			
1 p. m.	46	7 p. m.	45
2 p. m.	46	8 p. m.	43
3 p. m.	47	9 p. m.	43
4 p. m.	47	10 p. m.	42
5 p. m.	46	11 p. m.	41
6 p. m.	45	12 Midnight	40

Local Officer Aids Red Cross Drive In Korea

A local Army officer, in addition to his military duties, is helping with the 1953 American Red Cross fund drive in Korea.

He is Major R. L. Doak, of 409 Broadway, adjutant for the 223rd Army Infantry Regiment, 40th Division, in Korea. According to a letter to the local Red Cross Chapter, Wellington A. Nelson, assistant field director for the Red Cross in Korea, commends Major Doak for his outstanding work in aiding the Red Cross.

Nelson reported that Major Doak is personally facing the known gripes and meeting the complaints with explanations. These clarifications usually made by Red Cross directors, are doubly effective coming from a military officer, Nelson said.

Through the influence of Major Doak an extra edition of "The Password", the regimental newspaper, was published devoted entirely to the Red Cross.

Nelson pointed out that Major Doak's regiment led the division in the March of Dimes campaign in January, and the local officer hopes it will lead again in the Red Cross drive.

Last November, Major Doak was granted an emergency leave to return home when his father-in-law died and his wife became seriously ill.

Snow, Sleet Fall In Mountains As Mercury Drops

Sleet and light snow began falling on mountainous sections of the Tri-State area as an unseasonable cold wave moved in early last night, but the Weather Bureau predicted slightly higher temperatures for today.

Highways were icy in some spots, but travel was not considered hazardous.

Maryland State Police said Garrett County mountaintops had several slippery spots where sleet froze on roads as it fell.

At Elkins, W. Va., State Police said a light snow was falling, and the mercury was down to 30 degrees. Snow was falling or blowing on Allegheny Front, at Terra Alta, W. Va., and in other high sections.

Pennsylvania State Police at Somerset reported intermittent light falls of snow, but the powdery stuff was melting on highways as fast as it fell, and no serious accidents were reported in the area.

The Weather Bureau says today should be cloudy, but that temperatures will rise to between 46 and 52 degrees. Highest recorded in Cumberland was 42.

FBI Agent To Address Cumberland Lions Club

Scott S. Alden, special agent in charge of the FBI district office in Baltimore, will address the Cumberland Lions Club at 12:15 p. m. Wednesday at Central YMCA. Program Chairman Lewis J. Ort and President Harry I. Stegmaier arranged the program. Alden will discuss "Your FBI."

Heavy Allegany Student Vote Aids Candidates

Both Youth Mayor Nominees From AHS

Allegany High School's feat of getting both of its candidates nominated for mayor and placing all four of its councilmanic candidates among the top five nominees in Saturday's Youth Mayor and City Council primary election at the City Hall was attributed primarily to the school's "get-out-the-vote" effort.

While the other six participating schools got only between 18 and 35 per cent of their registered voters to go to the polls between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m., Saturday, Allegany voted 62.9 per cent of its voters.

More Than Half

As a matter of fact more than half of the 842 students who balloted Saturday were from Allegany. They got 468 of their 743 registered voters to cast ballots.

Catholic Girls' Central High School had the second best percentage, 35.7, with 20 of its 56 registered voters marking ballots.

Voting records for the other five schools:

Fort Hill, 269 out of 971, 27.7 per cent; LaSalle, 44 out of 183, 24 per cent; Ursuline Academy, 22 out of 98, 22.4 per cent; Carver, 10 out of 52, 19.2 per cent, and St. Mary's, nine out of 49, 18.4 per cent.

Walton High

Allegany's David B. Walton was high man in the mayoral race with 311 votes, followed by Kenneth W. McGraw, a school mate, who had 199 votes. They will compete in the general election at the City Hall Saturday, April 25. Nearest them was James Farris of Fort Hill, who polled 126 votes.

Allegany candidates also dominated the voting for council members, with three from that school finishing in one, two, three order and another in the top eight candidates, all of whom are eligible for the general election on Saturday, April 25. There were 14 councilmanic candidates.

Four local schools, Allegany, Fort Hill, LaSalle and Carver, had candidates entered for mayor and councilmen, and students from three other schools here, Ursuline Academy, Catholic Girls Central and St. Mary's participated in the voting.

The balloting was conducted from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. under the sponsorship of the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce, assisted by students selected by Victor D. Heisey, principal of Fort Hill High; R. O. McCullough, Allegany High principal and Brother Daniel Hileary, LaSalle principal. Jaycee officials Saturday said that they estimated 2,152 students were eligible to vote. The turnout was 842, or approximately 40 per cent. A higher percentage is expected to participate in the general election since the large number of candidates for the mayoral and councilmanic posts has been narrowed down.

Vote Count Listed

The candidates for mayor, their schools and the number of votes received follow:

Walton, Allegany, 311; McGraw, Allegany, 199; Farris, Fort Hill, 126; James Squires, Fort Hill, 89; William Comer, LaSalle, 41; Robert Martin, LaSalle, 40; Francis Manthey, LaSalle, 8; Roy W. Jones, Carver, 7, and Raymond M. Crowe, LaSalle, 4. Glen Osborn, school unknown, received two write-in ballots.

The eight successful candidates for council posts, the schools they represent and the number of votes received are Chester L. Price, Allegany, 497; Barbara Nicholls, Allegany, 456; Donald Paye, Allegany, 436; Edward Athey, Fort Hill, 359; Dean A. Hancox, Allegany, 349; Barbara Ann Campbell, Fort Hill, 299; John Raupach, Fort Hill, 217, and Charles Keinhof, LaSalle, 141.

Other candidates for councilman were Michael Mosner, LaSalle, 133; John Chisholm, Fort Hill, 130; Bessie Ketterman, Fort Hill, 123; Martin Liephy, Fort Hill, 41; William Stephens, Carver, 34, and David W. Hurt, Carver, 13.

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Contour Farming Paying Off In Conservation Practices

Proof that conservation practices make money for Allegany County farmers who raise crops on sloping land has been indicated through actual field tests on 12 to 16 per cent slopes made at soil conservation experiment stations through the Committee for Conservation Now.

The tests show that planting corn on the contour annually saved up to 69 pounds of nitrogen, 103 pounds of phosphorus and 722 pounds of potash per acre. Without contouring these amounts were carried away in water and sediment run-off.

While the committee explained it is difficult to put an actual cash value on the loss of fertility because not all of it is in usable form, the loss per acre can run from \$25 to \$75 annually. From 25 acres of corn planted on a 12 per cent slope, this annual loss could amount to from \$500 to over \$1,000, the committee added.

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The fertilizer losses are especially significant these days because agricultural experiment stations are discovering that even greater amounts of fertilizer than were previously recommended are needed to obtain maximum efficiency from the soil.

While data is not available on crops other than corn, the committee added that losses of fertility occur from any field subject to soil washing. The committee also pointed out that assistance in planning and applying practices to reduce plant nutrient losses can be obtained from Soil Conservation Districts or county agents.

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Webster Will Present School Budget Tuesday

Some Teachers Will Get Increased Pay

Superintendent of Schools Ralph R. Webster said he will submit the Allegany County school budget for the 1953-54 fiscal year starting July 1 to the County Board of Commissioners, Tuesday morning.

He declined to divulge specific details from the budget before it is submitted to the commissioners. This year the county provides \$1,411,267 for schools.

However, Webster did indicate definitely that the budgetary figure for teachers salaries next year must be at least as high as during the current year and should go a little higher.

During the current year the teacher salary scale has ranged from \$2,700 to \$4,100 for teachers with a bachelor's degree. Under terms of the Green Commission report, which has been adopted as the state-wide formula for increasing teachers' salary, no county may reduce its salary schedule. That means that the \$2,700 starting salary will prevail again next year.

Under the Green Commission provisions, the top salary for teachers with a bachelor's degree will move up \$200 to \$4,300. This increase for teachers in the top bracket undoubtedly will send the school budget upward.

The compromise agreement reached at Annapolis concerning the county's school construction program also will have some effect on the school budget. One provision of that agreement was that the cost of preliminary plans and specifications for the nine critically needed schools should be included in the school budget for the coming fiscal year.

Four members of the Allegany County Board of Education met with Webster Friday to discuss the school budget item by item.

Two Physicians Will Be Honored For Long Service

Two local physicians have been recommended for emeritus membership in the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of the State of Maryland for having practiced here over 50 years.

They are Dr. Francis A. G. Murray and Dr. Charlotte B. Gardner. Dr. Murray, who has practiced in Cumberland and Mt. Savage, has been a surgeon and obstetrician as well as general physician in his long career. Dr. Gardner has devoted her career to a general medical practice.

Designation as emeritus members of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty will mean that the two physicians will be relieved of paying dues to the faculty and to the Allegany-Garrett County Medical Society to which they belong.

The request for emeritus membership for Dr. Murray and Dr. Gardner originated with the Allegany-Garrett County Medical Society. The Council of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty has recommended emeritus membership to the faculty's House of Delegates which is expected to take the final action at its April 27 meeting in Baltimore.

Dr. George H. Yeager, secretary of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty, has notified Dr. R. Rhett Rathbone, secretary of the Allegany-Garrett County Medical Society, of the favorable action that has already been taken.

Cosgrove Hurt In Cycle Crash

Robert Cosgrove, 18, of 246 1/2 North Centre Street, was admitted to Sacred Heart Hospital yesterday afternoon shortly before 5 o'clock after the motorcycle he was riding rammed into a guard rail on State Route 28 one mile west of Fort Ashby, W. Va.

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Life Saving Swim Course Scheduled At Central YMCA

A junior and senior Red Cross Life Saving Swimming course will be conducted at Central YMCA beginning April 18 and running to May 2, it was announced yesterday by James E. Kelley, Jr., chairman of the Red Cross life saving and water safety program.

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Our interest, for the moment, is

not with the crowd's composition, nor with the garments spread in the way, nor with the branches of trees, which have designated this particular day as Palm Sunday. We know that the Master had not been subverted from his purpose by the plaudits of a crowd. But hark to the word which the crowd repeats, time and again, shouting as it goes before Him, and as He passes by, and as the parade lengthens out to His rear, "Hosanna."

Who is this? ask the dwellers in the roadside homes. They rush to their gates and hear the cry, "Hosanna!" A descendent of the House of David? Jesus, the carpenter of Nazareth? Why hosanna? This word is not a synonym for Rah! Rah! Rah! Hurray! Huzzah! and like expressions of adulation. This is the cry of the oppressed peoples of all the world to their hoped-for deliverer; the cry of the distressed, in their last extremity, "Save Now!" S.O.S.

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord" was the customary and proper greeting given those who came to the feast. So spoke the bystanders to Jesus and His retinue. But the shout of "hosanna" put an entirely different complexion on the nature of the crowd's interpretation of the ride into Jerusalem. "To seek and to save that which was lost..." for this purpose came I into the world," is the heart response of the Master of men. Not to seek a kingly crown, yet He rides steadfastly on, and receives a crown of thorns. Not to sit at feast with Caesar's minions, He rides on, yet He calls Zachaeus from his vantage point in the tree, to be His guest.

"Hosanna," yes the Christ rides in triumph to His throne, but His throne is a cross, and it is that cross which is the emblem of salvation to all men and nations who cry in faith believing, "Hosanna."

Miss Mansfield Given Watch By Amcelle

Miss A. Loretta Mansfield, 109 Valley Street, completed 25 years service yesterday at Amcelle and was awarded a lady's wrist watch by the plant manager.

She has worked in Accounting during her entire employment by Celanese and her work has always been closely connected with the transportation department. Arthur F. Happe, Controller for the Textile Division, also presented an engraved 25-year certificate and a 5-star Celanese service emblem.

Miss Mansfield has worked with Mr. Happe for over 21 years. Fellow-workers in main office and plant offices honored her with a dinner party last night.

Bad Weather Hampers Search For Missing Air Force Plane

Local Civil Air Patrol pilots will take to the air again today in search of a missing Air Force training plane believed to be down somewhere in the Elkins, W. Va., area.

Efforts of fliers over the weekend were hampered by weather so dangerous that one search craft was hemmed in and forced to land at Fairmont, W. Va., some 70 air miles west of here.

The search plane, a BT-13 two-place trainer, was piloted by Floyd Ashenfelter of Cumberland, with H. B. Wintermoyer, also of Cumberland, acting as observer.

CAP authorities said Ashenfelter and Wintermoyer ran into snow and ice on their way home from Elkins after the search was called off because of bad weather Saturday.

Ashenfelter got as far as Oakland before the weather hemmed him in, but was forced to turn around and go to Fairmont, where he and Wintermoyer landed without difficulty, then caught a train back home.

Warren G. Mullenax, commander

Local Churches Plan Services For Holy Week

Bishop Powell Will Preach Here Friday

Many local churches are scheduling special Holy Week services this week in preparation for Easter.

Emmanuel Episcopal

Rt. Rev. Noble C. Powell, Episcopal bishop of Maryland, will be in Cumberland to lead the traditional three-hour Good Friday service at Emmanuel Episcopal Church from noon until 3 p. m.

Other services are scheduled every day this week at Emmanuel Church. There will be daily celebration of Holy Communion, today through Thursday, at 10:30 a. m. In addition, on Maundy Thursday, the church will observe the institution of the Lord's Supper in a service at 7:30 p. m.

On Easter Eve at 4 p. m. there will be the regular service of public baptism for adults and children.

Wiley Ford Brethren

Rev. Allen D. Pugh, pastor of the Wiley Ford Church of the Brethren, will conduct Holy Week services each night this week. There will be special music at each of these services.

Rev. Pugh's sermon subjects this week: Monday, Caiaphas, Religious Formalist; Tuesday, Peter, the Boaster Cured; Wednesday, Pilate, Easy Way of Quietening One's Conscience; Thursday, Herod, Seeker After Religious Novelties; Friday, Barabbas, World's Choice; Saturday, Jesus On The Cross.

Holy Cross Episcopal

Nightly services during Holy Week are scheduled at Holy Cross Episcopal Church in South Cumberland.

Rev. Louis H. Ewald, rector, will hold the services at 7:30 o'clock each night. Included are Monday, prayer and sermon; Tuesday, Litany and address; Thursday, prayer and sermon. On Good Friday two services are scheduled. The Litany will be read at 10 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. An address also will be delivered at the evening service.

First Presbyterian

Each day at noon during Holy Week a brief service of quiet meditation and prayer will be held in the Bowie Memorial Chapel in the First Presbyterian Church. The service will begin at 12:05 p. m., and will be preceded by a period of piano music by Norman Scribner, the organist of the church.

There will be a period of directed meditation, and prayer, and a brief (Continued on Page 9, Col. 7)

12 Candidates Vie In LaSalle Bazaar Contest

Most Popular Boy, Girl To Be Named April 16

A popularity contest to select the most popular boy and girl in Cumberland's four Catholic High Schools will be conducted by the Men of LaSalle Club in conjunction with the club's bazaar, April 14-16 at SS. Peter and Paul hall, Fayette Street.

The bazaar is being conducted by the Men of LaSalle to help raise funds for the operation of LaSalle High School and ballots for the contest will be available to all persons who attend the bazaar on the first two days, April 14 and 15.

Selected as candidate for most popular boy are six LaSalle High student while two girls each from St. Mary's High, Girls Central High and Ursuline Academy have been chosen to participate in the affair. The candidates are:

LaSalle High
Martin Mullaney, senior
William Comer, senior
Robert Martin, senior
Robert Christ, junior
Dennis Shuck, junior
Bernard Spearman, junior
St. Mary's High
Catherine Spicer, senior
Phyllis Lydinger, senior
Girls Central
Jean Rozum, senior
Margaret Blate, junior
Ursuline Academy
Nancy Minke, senior
Rosemary Mullaney, senior

Mrs. John Keinhofer, Columbia Avenue, is chairman of the contest. She said ballots will be collected in containers in a booth at the bazaar during the first two days.

The winners of the contest will be announced Thursday, April 16, at 10 p. m. at the bazaar, Mrs. Keinhofer stated. Contestants will be present at that time and the winners will each receive a pen and pencil set as prize for their selections as the most popular boy and girl.

Pence Outlines Rec Activities For Next Month

In a monthly report approved by the City Recreation Board, Robert E. Pence, city recreation director, listed coming activities for April.

One of the first events on the April program is the first annual Girls' Basketball Tournament which begins today and runs until Wednesday at Allegany High School.

Pence reported that April will see the expansion of girls' athletic and recreation program to include new schools and all grades in all the grade schools.

Next month a meeting of officials and interested persons will be held to organize a Sportsman's Baseball League for boys between 15 and 16 years of age. There will also be a meeting of managers and officials of the Little League to set up operation of baseball for boys between 10 and 12 years of age.

Managers and sponsors of recreation softball league teams will also meet next month, according to Pence.

Pence said April will see the annual player draft for boys of the Hot Stove and Little Leagues. Meanwhile workers will continue getting the local baseball fields into playing condition, and playground equipment will be put out on school grounds.

The City Recreation Board will terminate movies at the North End Playground, but the current art and classes will continue. Also Pence will meet with officials of the Playground Associations concerning the supervision of playground equipment on non-school and city-owned playgrounds.

According to Pence's report the cost for next month's activities is estimated at \$3,150.40. About \$1,000 will be used in conditioning baseball fields.

Cost of recreational activities in March was \$1,406.67.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ringler, Washington, announce the birth of a son there Saturday. The mother is the former Miss Lois Fridley of Ridgeley.

Memorial Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis M. Crider, RD 1, Ridgeley, a son yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Brant, 16 Pennsylvania Avenue, a son yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. Poland, Wiley Ford, W. Va., a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Keplinger, Fort Ashby, W. Va., a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Nethken, 26 Arch Street, a son yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton R. Benson, Ocean City, a daughter Saturday. The mother is the former Miss Betty J. Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Harper, 209 Avirett Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Hartman, Glencoe, Pa., a son Friday.

Sacred Heart Hospital
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Squires, RFD 4, this city, twin sons yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foutz, Hyndman, Pa., a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abe, RD 1, Ridgeley, a son Saturday.

Weather

Yesterday, the second Sunday in Spring, seemed more like a winter day insofar as the weather was concerned. Although the official high was recorded at Constitution Park as 42 and the low 38, it seemed somewhat colder because of a cold wind. At 8 o'clock last night the official reading was 39 degrees. Humidity at 6 o'clock was 84 per cent. A slight rainfall of .02 inches was recorded for the 24 hour period ending last night. Today apparently will be a little more pleasant. The prediction called for considerable cloudiness and a high somewhere between 46 and 52, a little warmer than yesterday.

UNOFFICIAL DOWNTOWN TEMPERATURES

1 p. m.	46	7 p. m.	45
2 p. m.	45	8 p. m.	44
3 p. m.	47	9 p. m.	43
4 p. m.	47	10 p. m.	42
5 p. m.	46	11 p. m.	41
6 p. m.	45	12 Midnight	40

Local Officer Aids Red Cross Drive In Korea

A local Army officer, in addition to his military duties, is helping with the 1953 American Red Cross fund drive in Korea.

He is Major R. L. Doak, of 409 Broadway, adjutant for the 23rd Army Infantry Regiment, 40th Division, in Korea. According to a letter to the local Red Cross Chapter, Wellington A. Nelson, assistant field director for the Red Cross in Korea, commends Major Doak for his outstanding work in aiding the Red Cross.

Nelson reported that Major Doak is personally facing the known gripes and meeting the complaints with explanations. These clarifications usually made by Red Cross directors, are doubly effective coming from a military officer, Nelson said.

Through the influence of Major Doak an extra edition of "The Password", the regimental newspaper, was published devoted entirely to the Red Cross.

Nelson pointed out that Major Doak's regiment led the division in the March of Dimes campaign in January, and the local officer hopes it will lead again in the Red Cross drive.

Last November, Major Doak was granted an emergency leave to return home when his father-in-law died and his wife became seriously ill.

Snow, Sleet Fall In Mountains As Mercury Drops

Sleet and light snow began falling on mountainous sections of the Tri-State area as an unseasonable cold wave moved in early last night, but the Weather Bureau predicted slightly higher temperatures for today.

Highways were icy in some spots, but travel was not considered hazardous.

Maryland State Police said Garrett County mountaintops had several slippery spots where sleet froze on roads as it fell.

At Elkins, W. Va., State Police said a light snow was falling, and the mercury was down to 30 degrees. Snow was falling or blowing on Allegheny Front, at Terra Alta, W. Va., and in other high sections.

Pennsylvania State Police at Somerset reported intermittent light falls of snow, but the powdery stuff was melting on highways as fast as it fell, and no serious accidents were reported in the area.

The Weather Bureau says today should be cloudy, but that temperatures will rise to between 46 and 52 degrees. Highest recorded in Cumberland was 42.

FBI Agent To Address Cumberland Lions Club

Scott S. Alden, special agent in charge of the FBI district office in Baltimore, will address the Cumberland Lions Club at 12:15 p. m. Wednesday at Central YMCA.

Program Chairman Lewis J. Ort and President Harry I. Stegmaier arranged the program. Alden will discuss "Your FBI."

Contour Farming Paying Off In Conservation Practices

Proof that conservation practices make money for Allegany County farmers who raise crops on sloping land has been indicated through actual field tests on 12 to 16 per cent slopes made at soil conservation experiment stations through the Committee for Conservation Now.

The tests show that planting corn on the contour annually saved up to 69 pounds of nitrogen, 103 pounds of phosphorus and 722 pounds of potash per acre. Without contouring these amounts were carried away in water and sediment run-off.

While the committee explained it is difficult to put an actual cash value on the loss of fertility because not all of it is in usable form, the loss per acre can run from \$25 to \$75 annually. From 25 acres of corn planted on a 12 per cent slope, this annual loss could amount to from \$500 to over \$1,000, the committee added.

Besides the form of the plant nutrient and the degree of slope, the value of the loss depends upon the type of soil, soil structure and amount of rainfall.

Conservation practices which retain fertility, however, unquestionably result in less expense to main-

Heavy Allegany Student Vote Aids Candidates

Both Youth Mayor Nominees From AHS

Allegany High School's feat of getting both of its candidates nominated for mayor and placing all four of its councilmanic candidates among the top five nominees in Saturday's Youth Mayor and City Council primary election at the City Hall was attributed primarily to the school's "get-out-the-vote" effort.

While the other six participating schools got only between 18 and 35 per cent of their registered voters to go to the polls between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m., Saturday, Allegany voted 62.9 per cent of its voters.

More Than Half

As a matter of fact more than half of the 842 students who balloted Saturday were from Allegany. They got 468 of their 743 registered voters to cast ballots.

Catholic Girls' Central High School had the second best percentage, 35.7, with 20 of its 56 registered voters marking ballots.

Voting records for the other five schools:

Fort Hill, 269 out of 971, 27.7 per cent; LaSalle, 44 out of 183, 24 per cent; Ursuline Academy, 22 out of 98, 22.4 per cent; Carver, 10 out of 52, 19.2 per cent, and St. Mary's, nine out of 49, 18.4 per cent.

Walton High

Allegany's David B. Walton was high man in the mayoral race with 311 votes, followed by Kenneth W. McGraw, a school mate, who had 199 votes. They will compete in the general election at the City Hall Saturday, April 25. Nearest them was James Farris of Fort Hill, who polled 126 votes.

Allegany candidates also dominated the voting for council members, with three from that school finishing in one, two, three order and another in the top eight candidates, all of whom are eligible for the general election on Saturday, April 25. There were 14 councilmanic candidates.

Four local schools, Allegany, Fort Hill, LaSalle and Carver, had candidates entered for mayor and councilmen, and students from three other schools here, Ursuline Academy, Catholic Girls Central and St. Mary's participated in the voting.

The balloting was conducted from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. under the sponsorship of the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce, assisted by students selected by Victor D. Heisey, principal of Fort Hill High; R. O. McCullough, Allegany High principal and Brother Daniel Hileary, LaSalle principal. Jaycee officials Saturday said that they estimated 2,132 students were eligible to vote. The turnout was 842, or approximately 40 per cent. A higher percentage is expected to participate in the general election since the large number of candidates for the mayoral and councilmanic posts has been narrowed down.

Vote Count Listed

The candidates for mayor, their schools and the number of votes received follow:

Walton, Allegany, 311; McGraw, Allegany, 199; Farris, Fort Hill, 126; James Squires, Fort Hill, 89; William Comer, LaSalle, 41; Robert Martin, LaSalle, 40; Francis Manthey, LaSalle, 8; Roy W. Jones, Carver, 7, and Raymond M. Crowe, LaSalle, 4. Glen Osborn, school unknown, received two write-in ballots.

The eight successful candidates for council posts, the schools they represent and the number of votes received are Chester L. Price, Allegany, 497; Barbara Nicholls, Allegany, 456; Donald Paye, Allegany,